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Return of Calles prompts defensive political operations, writes W. L. Schurz—Page 9.

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The Weather
Today—Cloudy and much colder.
Tomorrow—Fair and continued cold.
Yesterday—High, 42; low, 36.

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Schall and Aid Hurt in Crash Near Capital; 2 Uninjured

Blind Senator Is Struck Down in Walking Across Road.

Baltimore Highway Scene of Accident

Minnesotan's Condition Serious; Suffered Head Injury.

Thomas David Schall, blind United States Senator from Minnesota, was struck and critically injured by an automobile last night as he was crossing the Washington-Baltimore boulevard at Cottage City, Md.

Seven hours after the accident, Schall remained unconscious in Casualty Hospital. He suffered a compound fracture of the left leg, possible internal injuries and a deep gash on the head.

Hospital physicians declined to estimate his chance for recovery. They said the crisis would not be reached for several days. Schall is 58 years old.

In a bulletin issued by Superintendent J. Rogers Young at midnight the Senator's condition was described as "grave."

He is suffering from a serious head injury, the extent of which has not yet been determined, Dr. Young said. He also has a compound comminuted fracture of both bones in the left leg.

Some X-rays have been taken, but additional ones will be taken as soon as the Senator's condition permits, probably today. A consultation was called for 9 a. m. today and another bulletin would follow, Dr. Young said.

Leen, injured in the same accident, was not believed in dangerous condition, although he had numerous leg bruises and a possible concussion of the brain and severe scalp lacerations.

Schall was crossing the highway near the bridge over the northwest branch of the Anacostia River, about a quarter of a mile south of the Peace Cross. He was being led by an employe of his office, O. R. Leen, 39, of 922 Hamilton street northwest.

They had reached the middle of the roadway when a sedan came up over the rise of a hill at what witnesses told Prince Georges County authorities was a high speed. The car knocked both of them down.

Driver Arrested.

Prince Georges County Policeman Arthur Brown arrested the car's driver on a technical charge of reckless driving. He was identified as Lester G. Humphries, 937 Arundel avenue, Hyattsville. Humphries was released on his personal bond pending his appearance in the police court at Hyattsville December 30.

Schall, Leen and two friends of the Senator from his home town of Minneapolis, James Laughlin and Harold Birkeland, had been driving in Birkeland's sedan to the Senator's house, Wyncrest, at Berwyn Heights, Md.

At 6:40 p. m. they stopped on the Baltimore boulevard at Cottage City and Schall and Leen got out of the car. The Senator wished to make some purchases at a store across the street. The two walked around behind Birkeland's car and had reached the white line at the center of the highway when the car hit them.

The car, approaching from the direction of Baltimore, apparently had been obscured from Leen's vision by the hill.

At the hospital Laughlin told reporters that the car, after striking the Senator and Leen, swerved toward the side of the road. The driver, he said, leaned out and shouted:

"He stepped in front of me."

The impact of the collision shattered the glass in the car's headlights. Laughlin rushed out to the

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You'll Lose Sleep—But

Don't expect to sleep late if you advertise in The Post's Classified Columns. Post Classified Ads go to work early in the morning and they bring RESULTS early in the morning. Mrs. Georgia Jordan advertised a vacant room the other day with a Post Classified Ad and got more than 12 calls. This inexpensive Post Classified Ad brought the prospective tenants:

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Seriously Injured

SENATOR SCHALL.

Bonus Payment May Be Settled By February 1

Congressmen Get Issue as Philippine Trip Ends; Byrnes Has Plan.

By Franklyn Waltman, Jr.

With immediate payment of the World War soldiers' bonus projected as the first issue to confront Congress when it meets two weeks from today, a large Congressional party returned to Capitol Hill yesterday from a junket to the Philippine Islands.

The group, led by Vice President John N. Garner and Speaker Joseph W. Byrns, had hardly set their bags down when the prospect of a bitter fight over the bonus issue, beginning as soon as Congress meets, became a certainty. Moreover, the general opinion seemed to be that this 15-year-old controversial question would be finally disposed of before February 1.

This view was confirmed later in the day when Senator James F. Byrnes (Democrat), of South Carolina, conferred with President Roosevelt regarding a "non-inflationary" bonus bill which he and Senator Frederick Steiwer (Republican), of Oregon, are sponsoring.

Byrnes Predicts Passage.

Whether this measure is acceptable to the President was not revealed, but Senator Byrnes, after the conference, expressed confidence that this bill, or one substantially like it would be reported to the Senate within two weeks after the session started and would be adopted by better than a two-thirds majority.

Senator Byrnes said that he believed the Senate would act first on the bonus question this time and that if that body gave a two-thirds majority to his bill the House would accept that measure as a final solution of the controversy. The Senate last spring by a margin of nine votes sustained the President's veto of the Patman bill.

Efforts to sidetrack the Patman bonus bill, which provides for immediate payment through the issuance of new currency, are expected to be made by Administration leaders. The strategy apparently under consideration is to get the Senate to dispose of the matter before the House acts.

The question is scheduled to come before the House on January 13 under a motion to discharge the Ways and Means Committee from further consideration of the bill. Operation of the discharge rule, however, might be avoided by the Ways and Means Committee reporting out the Patman bill, in an amended form, before that date.

Byrns Declines Forecast.

Speaker Byrns said it was "very clear" to him that both House and Senate would again pass some form of bonus bill, but he would make no forecast of the fate of the measure if the President vetoed it. But, he pointed out significantly, a "non-inflationary" bonus bill would have a better chance of being repassed over a veto than a measure objectionable on that score.

He said he believed the bonus issue could be disposed of by Feb-

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Borah Flings Hat Into Ring For President

Authorizes Use of Name in April Primary in Wisconsin.

'Trust-Busting' Seen as His Campaign Talking Point.

Senator William E. Borah, of Idaho, last night in effect entered the campaign for the Republican Presidential nomination when he approved plans to enter a Borah-instructed delegation in the Wisconsin Presidential primary in April.

His approval, given to two leaders of younger Wisconsin Republicans who had conferred with him for two days here, means a fight between the Idahoan and the regular leadership of the party, since the old-line leaders of the party in Wisconsin are planning to send an uninstructed delegation to the convention.

Borah has repeatedly demaded a reorganization of the national leadership of the party and the placing of greater emphasis on the issue of monopoly. He has held it impossible to combat monopoly and revive the "trust-busting" activities of the first President Roosevelt so long as the present leadership in the party continues.

Gives Full Approval.

The Wisconsin leaders who conferred with Borah are State Senator Philip E. Nelson and former State Senator Bernhard Gettelman.

Borah admitted that he had gone over the Wisconsin situation thoroughly with Nelson and Gettelman, and said he had given his full approval and support in their efforts to send a delegation pledged to liberal principles to the national convention. He admitted he understood that their goal was selection of a delegation pledged to support him for the nomination.

Nelson and Gettelman said they would return to Wisconsin immediately to complete the work of organizing the Borah drive. A Borah-for-President organization will be formed, nominating petitions will be circulated through the State and the two men will "do all that is necessary to secure Borah-pledged delegates to the national convention."

"We have done a lot of work already," Nelson said, "but we felt we could not go further without Senator Borah's approval. We will organize in every county of Wisconsin in order to obtain the election of a full slate of 24 Borah-instructed delegates."

Signatures Needed.

The Wisconsin Presidential primary will be held on the first Tuesday in April. Nominating petitions in the State must contain at least three per cent of the number of votes cast for the leading candidate for governor in the last election. Gov. Philip LaFollette received about 373,000 votes, Nelson said, expressing confidence there would be no difficulty in obtaining the required number of signatures for a ticket of Borah delegates.

"There is an overwhelming demand for Borah in Wisconsin," Nelson said.

Nelson and Gettelman have had conversations on the subject with businessmen, farmers and others in the State, they asserted.

Young Roosevelt Aloof.

Senator Borah has never formally declared himself a candidate for the nomination, although he has said he has a definite "objective" in the 1936 election. Some of his friends still insist that he is not actually seeking the Presidency but his goal is to "liberalize" the party organization and stress the monopoly issue, insisting on enforcement of the anti-trust laws. He has blamed much of the high cost of living on monopoly.

He followed this line of thought in proposing, in effect, some months ago, that Col. Theodore Roosevelt, son of the "trust-bustnig" President, join him in a drive to re-organize the Republican Party nationally. He was given no encouragement by Roosevelt.

Despite the absence of a definite announcement of candidacy from

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Describes His Abductors

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CALEB J. MILNE 4TH.

Supreme Court Split Indicated On TVA Issue

Trend Hinted in Questions of Judges; Another Suit Is Filed Here.

By Robert C. Albright.

A pronounced division within the Supreme Court in its attitude toward TVA constitutionality was hinted yesterday as arguments were opened on validity of the Government's vast Tennessee Valley project.

How the court finally will rule is a matter of the highest speculation, but interest was aroused by a sharp split in court questioning, along both conservative and liberal lines.

Questioning whether navigation improvements might be merely a "pretext" for unlimited Government power sales, justices regarded as conservative members of the bench loosed a volley of queries at Federal counsel.

Earlier, counsel for minority stockholders of the Alabama Power Co. met a battery of questions from liberal members of the court, aimed at the right of preferred stockholders to sue, if they could not show "irreparable injury."

Constitution Issue In Doubt.

As lively opening arguments were concluded there was some speculation as to whether the court will use this suit to pass on the broad constitutional issue, although the validity question was projected at every point by Government and opposition lawyers.

John Lord O'Brian, TVA special counsel, presented the case for the Government, contending that navigation aids to the Tennessee River was the primary purpose of the TVA, and power safes to municipalities were "incidental."

Assailing the act, in behalf of Alabama Power Co. minority stockholders, Forney Johnston, Birmingham attorney, insisted the law not only was invalid, but would bring about the ruin of private power interests in the valley.

While the justices listened and questioned, the Government's war with the power industry broke out anew in the District Supreme Court, where a stay has been sought by Attorney General Homer Cummings in injunction proceedings brought by seven utility companies against the utility holding company act.

Ask Suit Consolidation.

A brief filed in the lower court by four of the protesting utility companies proposed a consolidation of the so-called "multiplicity" of suits into two actions one brought by the Government against the Electric Bond & Share Co., in New York, and the other by the utilities in the local court.

The utilities' brief charges the law was "drafted ingeniously to paralyze the plaintiffs if they do not

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Milne Helps Agents Find Farm Hideout

Hospital Recital of Kidnapers' Moves Leads to Discovery.

Abductors' Description Is Broadcast to All U. S. Bureaus.

By the Associated Press.

Doylestown, Pa., Dec. 19.—Caleb J. Milne 4th, gave Federal agents tonight a description of four men who kidnaped him in New York and through his description enabled them to find the hideout where he was held prisoner for four days.

Milne, scion of a wealthy Philadelphia family, was abandoned by his abductors last night on a highway near Doylestown. Government authorities said today no ransom was paid.

Federal agents and a stenographer who sat at his bedside in a hospital took his story.

Agents found the hideout—a dilapidated house on a farm near Wrightstown, southeastern Bucks County, about 10 miles southeast of the spot where Milne was thrown out of a car last night—from Milne's accurate description of movements of the kidnapers.

Identification Orders.

The agents said they sent identification orders on the four kidnapers to every Federal Bureau of Investigation office in the country.

Near the hideout was found a hypodermic syringe and two needles, which they believe the kidnapers used to keep Milne in a condition bordering on unconsciousness during the four days and nights he was held.

The agents said they also found several tin cans, recently opened, from which they believe the abductors obtained food. Milne said he was given food only once during his imprisonment.

Recuperating from exposure and heavy doses of narcotic, Milne informed the agents he could recall scarcely a thing of what occurred from Sunday night until last night.

Saw Kidnapers.

He remembered the kidnapers, because he saw each one before he was given the narcotic.

Agents said Milne told of answering a telephone call from a "Dr. Green, of Gracie Square," in New York. He met the "doctor" Saturday in the square.

Milne had been told on the telephone that his grandfather, Caleb J. Milne, jr., in Philadelphia, was "very ill" and wished to see him. The "Dr. Green" was to take him to Philadelphia.

Agents said Milne related that three other men met the "doctor" in the park, and all five set out in a sedan for Philadelphia.

They passed through the Holland Tunnel and over the Pulaski Skyway, took a branch road leading toward Phillipsburg, N. J., and Easton, Pa.

They rode along for several miles, then suddenly turned into a dirt road near Summit, N. J.

Then, the agents said, Milne was told he was kidnaped.

One of the men informed him:

"You're not going to see any doc-

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First Snow Falls; Today Cloudy, Cold

Snow began falling shortly before 10 p. m. yesterday.

It was Washington's first taste of real winter weather.

The snow began with a few scattered flakes. It had started earlier and heavier in the suburbs and nearby area of Maryland.

The fall slowed traffic along the Washington-Baltimore highway to 20 miles an hour.

The Weather Bureau believes the snowfall will be of brief duration. Today will be cloudy and much colder, with skies clearing at night,

Baldwin Wins Test Vote On Strong Peace Policy; Stricter Boycott Likely

Japan Plots World Conquest, U. S. Invasion, Pittman Warns

Seizure of Philippines to Be the First Step, Says Senator.

By the United Press.

Las Vegas, Nev., Dec. 19.—Japan was charged with "ambitions similar to those of the former Kaiser"—with world conquest an ultimate objective—in a speech today by Senator Key Pittman (Democrat), chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

The Nevada Senator said it was "common knowledge that the present militarist government of Japan plans conquest of the entire world."

He said that if the present government continues in power the United States will be forced inevitably into a defensive war in the Pacific.

The Senator made his remarks before the Las Vegas Rotary Club.

Pittman said conquest of China was designed as the first move in Japan's imperialistic program. The plan then called for invasion of the West Coast of the United States, taking Mexico and the western coast of South America.

"Sooner or later," he said, "the United States will be faced with the necessity of fighting for its very existence, and if we wait too long the outcome will be much in doubt.

"We either can continue to retreat in the face of Japan's conquests and draw up within our-

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SENATOR KEY PITTMAN.

Premier Places Entire Blame for 'Blunder' on Hoare.

Nations of League Warned to Give Aid

Sir Samuel Defends the Plan; Cites Fear of Italian War.

The Crisis Abroad.

The Baldwin government won a vote of confidence from the House of Commons on its foreign policy.

Early resignation of Premier Laval of France was predicted.

The League of Nations shelved the Franco-British peace plan and approved continuance of present sanctions against Italy, delaying action on an oil embargo.

Ethiopian deaths in bitter northern front battles were estimated at 1,000, with 272 Italians slain.

By the United Press.

London, Dec. 19.—Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin transformed political peril into victory tonight, when he won a smashing vote of confidence on the government's revamped foreign policy, abandoning the Paris peace plan.

The House of Commons, which earlier had heard Baldwin humbly apologize for the "blunder" of his resigned foreign minister, Sir Samuel Hoare, voted indorsement of a strong League of Nations policy, 397 to 165.

The 165 presumably represents those who listened with sympathy and agreement today when Sir Samuel—speaking as a private individual—made a fighting defense of his attempt with Premier Pierre Laval, of France, to end the Italo-Ethiopian war.

Censure Amended.

The vote was on a motion, first introduced by the Laborites, to censure the government for Hoare's participation in "betrayal" of the League and Ethiopia, but amended by the Conservaties to commend the earlier policy of the Baldwin cabinet to which Britain now returns.

Conservatives, Laborites and Liberals—all those who believe Britain should co-operate in strict League measures to choke off Italian militarism as an object lesson to future aggressors—voted for the motion.

Had Sir Samuel not resigned last night and the vote been on the original motion, the result might have been far different.

Baldwin cast full responsibility for the Paris peace plan upon the former foreign secretary after Hoare had explained that he feared League sanctions were leading to a European war and that peace should be purchased on the best basis possible immediately.

Hoare Signed Alone.

To a tensely still house in which the Prince of Wales and nearly every foreign diplomat in London sat as spectators, Baldwin made the amazing disclosure that Sir Samuel had signed the Paris peace plan—offering Italy half of Ethiopia to make peace—without consulting the cabinet.

An airmail letter from Paris reaching Baldwin at breakfast on December 9—24 hours after the harm had been done—broke the news to him that Britain's foreign policy had been detoured from "peace acceptable to Italy, Ethiopia and the League" to "peace at any price."

"The ministers were unaware of it until they heard that it had been accomplished, that an agreement had been reached," Baldwin said. "Time was short. We would have liked to have modified it. Were we to repudiate it and let France know that agreement on those lines was impossible?"

Will Not Happen Again.

The prime minister pledged that no such absence of liasion between the foreign minister and the cabinet ever again will occur.

"Much harm has been done and it will take time to rectify it," he added. "The proposals are dead and this government will make no attempt to resurrect them."

Like Sir Samuel, who concluded his defense in tears a few minutes

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Job Insurance Code Approved By D. C. Board

Reports, Lists of Workers Provided; Will Affect Total of 75,000.

Establishment of "social security" under the unemployment compensation act for the District moved nearer completion yesterday when the Unemployment Compensation Commission approved a huge set of regulations for administering the act.

These regulations will soon require every employer and employe in the city covered by the act to register with the director of unemployment compensation.

Another regulation requires that each employer send in the amount of his pay roll with his monthly report to the Director of Unemployment Compensation. This tax will be 1 per cent in 1936, 2 per cent in 1937, and 3 per cent in 1938 and thereafter.

The registration regulation will affect more than 60,000 employes and some 15,000 employers, it is estimated.

With the exception of Federal and most District employes, domestic servants and some few other exempted classes, every employed person in the District is affected.

Every person who employs one or more persons—except domestic servants and the few exempted classes of employes—also are affected by the regulation.

Newsboys, window washers, insurance salesmen, salesmen working on salaries as well as on commission, many classes of part-time workers, ministers, actors and theatrical workers, professional baseball and football players, clerks, typists, automobile mechanics and almost every other type of worker is affected.

Among those whose jobs are exempted from the law are the several hundred taxicab drivers who rent or lease cabs.

Other persons exempted include concert artists or lecturers, directors of corporations who perform no other service for the corporation, members of partnerships or

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League Drafts Plans to Invoke New Sanctions

Peace Pact Killed, Embargo on Oil Held Up for Further Study.

By the Associated Press.

Geneva, Dec. 19.—The League of Nations, discarding the orphaned Anglo-French peace plan with "thanks," announced tonight: "Sanctions as usual!"

A League Council decision put the fragments of the peace proposals definitely in a corner and the League's sanctions committee of 18, meeting briefly, approved the continuance of existing sanctions.

"The League has killed the Franco-British proposal and must now take the responsibility for what happens," a spokesman for Italy warned.

The sanctions committee, however, took no definite action on the imposition of an oil embargo against Italy. The members agreed to let current sanctions run on until after the holidays, at least.

Members of the League Council, in a unanimous resolution, instructed the committee of 13 to examine the situation "as a whole," at the same time "bearing in mind the provisions of the Covenant."

The committee of 13 is composed of all members of the Council except the parties to the conflict.

As for the Franco-British proposals to give Italy control or sovereignty over more than half of Ethiopia, the Council "thanked" the delegates of the two nations but declined "to express an opinion in regard to them at present."

The sanctions committee will keep in touch with the Council committee of 13 with the idea of arranging a date—possibly January 15—for a discussion of whether the time is ripe for the oil embargo.

Great Britain's Anthony Eden, before departing for London, made it clear to his fellow councilmen that any new attempts at conciliation meantime should not interfere in any way with the operation of existing sanctions.

As the delegates left Geneva, the opinion generally was expressed

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Maxwell Victim of Apoplexy, Virginia Pathologists Believe

By Virginia Lee Warren,
A Staff Correspondent.

Richmond, Va., Dec. 19.—Three eminent Virginia pathologists are of the opinion that Trigg Maxwell died from apoplexy and not from the blows inflicted with a slipper by his daughter, Edith, who faces a 25-year term in prison for his death.

His own theory of his father's death bolstered by the opinion of the physicians, Earl Maxwell left today for Wise County, where a petition will be filed for exhumation of his father's body.

If the court issues the order, the brain of Trigg Maxwell will be subjected to analysis by a specialist in the hope that his findings will corroborate the opinions of the other doctors.

Earl gave the copies of the autopsy report, stripped of all phrases that would show its connection with the Maxwell case, to the three pathologists. Each of them expressed the opinion that the condition of the brain, as described by the doctors who performed the autopsy, was symptomatic of apoplexy rather than a concussion caused by the slipper wound.

Earl has clung to the belief that the heavy drinking of his father, plus his rage on the night of the killing, induced a fatal apoplectic stroke. Trigg's brother, Fred, died two years ago from a stroke.

The two Wise County physicians who performed the autopsy found a blood clot at the base of Trigg's brain and concluded, in their testimony before the trial jury, that the slipper blows had caused it.

Edith struck her father when he attacked her with a knife intending to beat her for staying out until midnight on July 21. In defending herself, she struck him with a slipper.

Earl was reluctant to have any

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Lawrence of Arabia

His Final Report to World Powers At the Paris Peace Conference

Hitherto Unpublished Memorandum Revealed by

Stephen Bonsal

aid to Colonel House at Big Four Sessions

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Stephen Bonsal presents Colonel Lawrence's own account of the campaign that placed all Arab tribesmen under one flag and shortened the World War. Lawrence's refusal of honors explained . . . New light on most romantic phase of the conflict.

Next Sunday—Exclusively In

The Washington Post

Children May Talk Into 'Mike' At The Post's Toy Fund Show

Boys and girls who come to The Washington Post's Toy Fund theater party at Loew's Fox Theater tomorrow morning will do something usually reserved for people in the public eye like transatlantic fliers, prize fighters and channel swimmers.

Gordon Hittenmark, National Broadcasting Co. announcer, will be standing in front of the theater with a microphone and boys and girls will be invited to step up to the "mike" and say a few words to their playmates and their folks at home.

The time will be 8:30 a. m. tomorrow and the occasion will be a show which the thousands of boys and girls who attend will cherish as a fond memory for many a day.

This big event—destined to thrill the young participants—has been billed as "The Great Santa Claus Premier" and is bound to live up to all expectations.

It just can't miss, as the theatrical gentry say, because it will include all of these startling attractions:

1. Santa Claus (Mr. Hittenmark) will greet his countless young friends over the radio.

2. Every child attending will get a chance to say hello into a "mike."

3. The exciting movie, "Treasure Island," will be shown at 9 a. m.

In addition to all that, every boy and girl attending will have an opportunity to help a less fortunate friend find happiness at Christmas by donating a toy instead of an admission fee. Adults accompanying the youngsters will pay 25 cents admission.

"The Great Santa Claus Premier," reminiscent of gala Hollywood openings, will be broadcast by WRC from 8:30 to 9 a. m.

"Treasure Island," a movie any youngster would like to see over and over, was made from Robert Louis Stevenson's famous book and

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Hopkins Plans Billion Outlay In Six Months

Head of WPA Announces 2,678,629 Now Are on Its Pay Roll.

By Felix Bruner.

Harry L. Hopkins, works progress administrator, said yesterday he expected to spend his present allotment of $1,140,000,000 for works relief before July 1, end of the fiscal year. He added, however, that other funds would be available. These presumably will be transferred from other works divisions.

Hopkins said that on December 9 the WPA had a total of 2,678,629 persons on its payroll and that it was spending about $65 per month per person for both wages and materials. Materials cost about 35 per cent of the total. In addition to the Federal outlay, he said, local communities are contributing 18 per cent of the total cost of all projects. Agencies other than WPA, Hopkins said, are employing about 825,000 persons.

The works administrator declined to make any predictions as to what form the relief program will take next year. Secretary Ickes, commenting on the same problem, refused to go further than to say that the new works bill proposed by President Roosevelt will provide funds for projects already started but not completed. Many of the projects for which money is available will not be completed by the end of the fiscal year, he said.

Caustic on Hoover Talk.

Both Ickes and Hopkins took occasion to comment on the recent speech of Herbert Hoover in which the former President criticized the works program.

"In referring to 'wasteful public works,' he couldn't possibly have been referring to the work we are doing," Ickes said. "He must have been talking about the previous Administration."

"We can't be answering the charges of every politician who wants to attack us between now and election," was the comment of Hopkins. "What Hoover said is important only if it is matched with what he did. The record in this respect is well known. We all remember the starving people and the 'Hoover cities.'"

Hopkins said that while many States would like to have the Federal Government assist them in caring for their unemployables, these people generally are being cared for as well as in the past. The Government, under the present program, has agreed to assist only employable persons.

Staff Here Being Cut.

The works administrator said there is some evidence the WPA program will be less expensive on the basis of cost per man than the civil works program.

Hopkins is particularly eager to cut down the overhead of WPA. With this in mind, he said he is planning to cut his administrative staff in Washington from 3,500 to 2,000 within a month. He said that the Federal Emergency Relief Administration is being rapidly liquidated. He said between 600 and 700 employes already had been dismissed.

No great concern was expressed by Hopkins over the report made public Wednesday showing relief rolls in 145 cities had declined only 9.4 per cent from October to November. He said he was convinced the great bulk of employable persons on relief were on Government pay rolls.

"Of course," he said, "we still have a relief problem in this country that can't be laughed off."

Michigan Prison Food Riot Quelled

By the Associated Press.

Jackson, Mich., Dec. 19.—A noisy demonstration by 1,600 prisoners in the dining hall of the southern Michigan prison late today was quelled within an hour, prison officials announced. No one was injured.

Banging dishes and shouting complaints about their food, the convicts demanded that Warden Charles Shean hear their grievance personally. Shean tasted the food and ordered that it be replaced. The prisoners finished their meal, but became unruly again when they were ordered to leave the prison yard and return to their cells.

A hurry call was sent for State police and city officers, but prison guards broke up the demonstration without outside help.

Between You and Me

Drive Starts for U. S. Ownership of Railroads; Delayed 15 Years; Ewing's Lost Papers.

By Raymond Clapper

THE long expected drive for Government ownership of the railroads is opening. It is under the management of the Railway Labor Executives Association, a coalition of the railroad labor organizations, which is one of the most compact and skillful pressure groups that ever has operated in Washington.

Railroad labor knows how to get what is wants from Congress. This job will take a long time. The chief significance is that the drive has begun. This week the group has begun its canvassing of Senators and members of Congress, addressing to each an outline of its argument and giving notice that from time to time it will place "further information on the subject of and necessity for Government ownership of railroads at your disposal."

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Immediately following the war, this group made a stab at moving from war-time Government operation of the roads into Government ownership. It advanced the famous "Plum plan," which provoked a storm of alarm and controversy. The drive failed because the country was in no mood for the move. It was headed "back to normalcy," and the Republican landslide of 1920 buried prospects of Government ownership. The railway labor group dropped its efforts, to await a more propitious time.

Now, they figure, that time has arrived. Fifteen years have elapsed since the first unsuccessful effort. During that interval a record of financial manipulation has been built up which the labor group believes it can capitalize. Through the free-and-easy boom days of the late twenties when some roads became footballs of finance, and then in the black depression years, some 44,000 miles of railroad went into bankruptcy with perhaps 70 companies in difficulties of one sort or another. To save the roads from complete collapse, the RFC had to throw in more than half a billion dollars. All of this the labor group is preparing to capitalize in its drive for Government ownership.

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As outlined in its initial appeal, the labor case is being directed to appeal to a wide variety of groups. It says that milking of roads has resulted in deterioration of equipment, placing the traveling public in jeopardy. To investor groups, it says that "so long as the roads are used as chips in a financial poker game * * * there can result only increased difficulties for the railroads and a continuation of practices which endanger the equities in the roads of insurance companies, mutual savings banks, philanthropic institutions and, last, but not least, the individual investor who, in many instances, has his all in the securities of the railroads."

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There is no sign of Administration support for this move. However, suspicion is widespread among railroad executives that the Administration is privately sympathetic but feels the time too early to commit itself. They recall that Joseph B. Eastman, Interstate Commerce Commissioner, in his capacity as Federal Co-ordinator of Railroads, reported last year that "theoretically and logically public ownership and operation meets the known ills of the present situation better than any other remedy," although he did not feel the time propitious, chiefly because he did not feel the country was financially in a condition to stand the strain of acquiring these vast properties.

Eastman is Mr. Roosevelt's most trusted adviser on railroad problems and while that is not sufficient to warrant the conclusion that the President is for Government ownership, the suspicion that he is is a natural one.

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In anticipation of such a drive, there was recently organized the Transportation Association of America, with a wide base of representation from shippers, farm interests, and insurance companies whose stake in the restored earning power of the railroads is enormous. The purpose of this organization is the double one of heading off Government operation and of making it unnecessary by reorganization of the Nation's transportation system and harmonizing the railroads with their new competitors, the truck, the pipe-line and the Government subsidized inland water carriers.

No immediate decision is probable. More likely the question will be agitated through one or two congresses before coming to a showdown. The chances are that we are in for a race to see whether the railroads can rescue themselves before the Government grabs them. Opposition to further extension of Government functions is so great now that only if the railroads demonstrate inability to solve their own problems is it likely that Government ownership could come about. On the other hand, if the roads fail in this, it is almost inevitable that the Government will take them over.

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Democrats thought it was clever to charge $50 for their Jackson Day dinner tickets—$45 of this to go to the party campaign chest. But the story is being circulated—no doubt by Republicans, of course—that with 11,000,000 people out of work, the fat job-holders in Washington are going to sit down to gorge themselves in a Lucullan revel. It is worrying the Democrats so much that they are putting out official explanations every day denying that they are going to eat $50 meals on Jackson Day.

Although the Republican national committee has money in the bank—whereas the Democrats are deep in debt—it was a good deal smarter about its committee meeting. The Republicans didn't have any dinner at all.

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There is one worried Democrat in Washington — Norman W. Ewing, Democratic national committeeman from Utah, self-styled. He lost his brief case when he landed at Washington airport yesterday. It contained personal correspondence between him and Farley.

Ewing was bounced by his State as national committeeman and a successor was named. But Ewing refused to r sign. Farley hasn't decided which he recognizes as national committeeman, although he tried for months quietly to induce Ewing to quit.

Ewing must have underestimated the interest in the lost correspondence when he said: "There is nothing in Farley's letters which would cause any confusion. Just some details about jobs which no one would understand."

U. S. Ownership Urged as Cure Of Railway Ills

Labor Executives' Circular Calls Roads 'Chips in Big Poker Game.'

By the Associated Press.

Government ownership of railroads was urged last night by the Railroad Labor Executives Association as "the only way out of the morass in which the roads have been placed by the bankers."

In a circular sent to all members of Congress the association asserted that "so long as the roads are used as chips in a financial poker game—the cards being stacked against the little fellow—there can result only increased difficulties for the railroads, and a continuation of practices" which were said to endanger equities in rail securities.

A bill providing for Government ownership of the carriers is pending in the Senate. It was introduced last session by Senator Wheeler (Democrat), Montana, who said he would not press for immediate action.

Wall Street financiers, the labor chiefs charged, were shown by a court investigation this year to have "wrecked" the St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad, a "once prosperous" carrier.

The circular contended that road's funds had been syphoned into Wall Street to such an extent that the carrier's president testified "we had as high as 25 rail breaks in 23 hours because of old rails."

"Thus it appears, not only were the fortunes of investors jeopardized by the manipulations of the Wall Street financiers but also were the lives of employes and the traveling public placed in jeopardy by their greed and desire for increased profits," the association asserted.

"That banker control of your roads, with its constant demand for rake-offs, has caused and causes continuous loss of positions by employes—some hundreds of thousands before 1929 and hundreds of thousands since the depression, all of which had its part in bringing on the depression and intensifying that depression.

"The Government really built the roads, allowed the service so necessary to the public interest to be used as money-making machines for a few financiers and their hangers-on, lent them money when they were in difficulties caused by that coterie of financial buccaneers—and is again lending them money.

"Is it not high time that this vicious circle was ended?"

Meanwhile, the Interstate Commerce Commission yesterday set February 4 for a hearing on the Missouri-Pacific Railroad plan for reorganization, commonly known as the Van Sweringen proposal.

Holding the Southern Railway is not in need of finanical reorganization, the Interstate Commerce Commission yesterday approved extensions of $14,493,540 in Reconstruction Corporation loans to the carrier.

New Gifts Swell Toy Fund to $369

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Anonymous	1.00
Barbara Ann and Marjorie Walker	5.00
Anonymous	1.00
Thomas J. Fitzgerald	1.00
B. E. Jones	1.00
Anonymous	1.00
Circulation Department, Washington Post	4.15
Total to date	$369.11

Toy Fund

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stars the inimitable Wallace Beery and Jackie Cooper.

Hittenmark, cast in a new role, is all set to draw on his wide experience as a top-notch radio entertainer and commentator to impersonate Saint Nick in a manner to delight young and old.

The radio program will add to the holiday cheer of children forced to spend the holiday season in hospitals or otherwise prevented from attending.

Meanwhile, The Washington Post toy fund grew hourly and approached within striking distance of the $500 goal set to be reached by Saturday night. The total last night soared to $369.11.

If you want to bring the true Christmas spirit to some penniless boy or girl just send or bring either a toy or a cash contribution of any amount to the front counter on the first floor of The Pst.

Von and Sweetie Pie, a collie and samoyede, did their bit for the fund yesterday. Along with the canine donation came this note from their master:

"We have everything a dog could wish for. We both love boys and girls and are sending a dollar, hoping it will make some little person happy."

From the circulation department of The Post came $4.15.

Distribution of the toys already has begun. Sixty playthings were parceled out to Sergeant Jasper Post and unit of the American Legion for the children of needy veterans.

Tax on Liquors Tops Tobacco's For First Time

$221,000 in Five Months; Annual Return Is Put Above $500,000,000.

By the Associated Press.

Treasury figures indicated yesterday that the Government would collect more than a billion dollars in cigarrette and liquor taxes alone in the present fiscal year.

Liquor, which produced $221,000,000 in the first five months, promises to return between $530,000,000 and $550,000,000 during the year, while tobacco, which returned $211,000,000 through November 30, is averaging about $500,000,000 annually.

Liquor taxes are now averaging annually more than tobacco levies for the first time since repeal.

However, the Treasury reported November's collections of internal revenue trailed 1934's receipts for the third successive month.

A decline of $35,485,043 in the month's collection of processing taxes brought total receipts to $184,096,316. This was $5,022,313 less than the amount collected in November, 1934.

Injunctions granted in connection with court challenges of processing tax constitutionality were blamed for much of the decrease. Collections for the first five months of the present fiscal year, through November 30, as a result are running $162,820,980 behind last year and have amounted to $60,519,962.

All internal revenue collections through November 30 have amounted to $1,221,786,060, or $18,092,054 in excess of the amount collected in the comparable five months of the last fiscal year.

Bus Bandits Kill Man.

Peiping, Dec. 19 (AP).—Bandits who held up a bus 30 miles north of here today were reported to have killed a Japanese passenger.

Quake Hits New Mexico.

Belen N. Mex., Dec. 19 (AP).—A strong earth tremor, the latest in almost a week of such disturbances, awakened residents here today. Railroad men reported freight cars rocked on the tracks. A crack an inch wide and several feet long showed in the walls of a brick drug store.

Ex-Official Acquitted Of Embezzling Charge

Oklahoma City, Dec. 19 (AP).—W. J. Barnett, former State bank commissioner, was acquitted today by District Judge Lucius Babcock on a charge of embezzling $14,790 in trust funds while he was commissioner. Judge Babcock heard the case without a jury.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

THE NEXT EXAMINATION IN OPTOMETRY, in the District of Columbia, will be held on February 27, 28, 29, 1936. All applications must be filed with the Secretary on or before January 15 1936. For further details write the Secretary, THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA BOARD OF OPTOMETRY, DR. M. LUTHER DICUS, Secretary, 1319 F street northwest, Washington, D. C.

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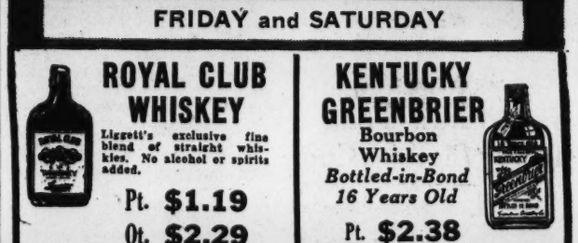
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Monoxide Plot Hinted in Death Of Miss Todd

Grand Jury Foreman Tells of New Clew; Former Husband Subpenaed.

By the Associated Press.

Los Angeles, Dec. 19.—George W. Rochester, foreman of the Los Angeles County grand jury, tonight declared evidence he has gathered indicates strongly that Thelma Todd, screen actress, might have been a "monoxide murder victim."

Rochester announced he had issued a subpena for Pasquale Di Cicco, former husband of Miss Todd and an artists' agent.

Di Cicco now is in New York. He left Los Angeles by airplane the day after the body was found. He said he was going East to spend the holidays with relatives.

"We are not pointing the finger of suspicion at anyone," said Rochester. "We are anxious to learn from Mr. Di Cicco, for whom a subpena has been issued, whether there was anything in Miss Todd's life that might lead him to believe she was murdered."

Investigation Widens.

Di Cicco was asked by Rochester to appear before the grand jury Monday morning, when it will investigate the strange death of Miss Todd, whose body was found last Monday morning in her garage. The coroner's jury yesterday gave a verdict of apparent accidental death by monoxide gas fumes from the automobile exhaust, but recommended further investigation.

The grand jury foreman would not disclose where he had obtained his asserted additional information or exactly what it was.

A more searching inquiry into the puzzling death began today with projected police questioning of three central figures.

Detective Chief Joseph Taylor ordered his men to question again Roland West, business partner and "best friend" of the blonde funmaker of the films, and to interview Charles Smith, treasurer of the Todd-West cafe, as well as Robert J. Anderson, the cafe bartender.

While 12,000 persons filed solemnly past Miss Todd's orchid satin bier, where the body lay in blue satin lounging pajamas, the question of the time of death produced still another puzzle.

Mrs. Roland West, estranged wife of Miss Todd's business partner, told officers she saw the actress riding with a "dark-looking foreigner" in Hollywood at 11 p. m. Sunday—several hours after the approximate time coroner's officials said death occurred.

Gamblers' Enmity Hinted.

A district attorney's investigator was ordered to run down rumors that Miss Todd's beach cafe had been planning to permit gambling and that this might have aroused the enmity of professional gamesters.

Grand jury authorities, indicating a suspicion of poison in the mystery, awaited scientific analysis of the vital organs and arranged to start their own investigation tomorrow.

The identity of the person Miss Todd intended to take to a party at the home of Wallace Ford, screen actor, Sunday afternoon, the supposed date of her death, remained undetermined.

The statement of Mrs. West, the former Jewel Carmen, of the films, was the second bit of information tending to complicate evidence bearing on the date and hour of death.

Mrs. Ford's was the first.

Police detectives expressed doubt that Miss Todd was the person Mrs. West saw. They said they would adhere to the premise that the actress died at dawn Sunday.

Although West told the coroner's jury he and Miss Todd had connecting apartments above their cafe, he evaded a question as to whether they had been intimate.

Mrs. Ford told police Miss Todd was her bosom friend.

Miss Todd's body lay in state for five hours preceding the funeral and cremation at Forest Lawn Memorial Park.

Nazis Sentence Ohioan For Smuggling Marks

Stralsund, Germany, Dec. 19 (AP). William Schulze, a German, but for 28 years a resident of Dayton, Ohio, was sentenced to six months' imprisonment today and fined 5,000 marks ($2,000) for attempting to evade the currency laws.

The government also confiscated 4,900 marks and $77 which he was alleged to have tried to smuggle to his family in the United States.

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Wirephoto: Where Kidnap Victim Was Dumped

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Daylight view of the spot along Old York road, out side of Doyleston, Pa., where Caleb J. Milne 4th, was dumped, bound and gagged by his kidnapers early yesterday.

Kidnaping

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tor. You're going to stay with us. And keep your mouth shut, too, if you know what's good for you."

Used Blindfold.

"I was scared," Milne told the agents. 'I was so scared I didn't know what to do. I didn't know what they might do."

Agents said the young man related the abductors blindfolded him on the branch road. It was not removed until they reached Somerville, N. J. The blindfold was again bound over his eyes while leaving town and he was shoved down to the floor of the car.

After that, Milne said, he lost the route, but surmised that the party crossed the Delaware River into Pennsylvania at Phillipsburg. The agents said he imagined they drove to a point about ten miles below New Hope, then turned westward to Wrightstown.

The agents said Milne told them the blindfold was removed before they walked into the farmhouse. Then they took his watch, so that he was not certain of the time.

Hypodermic Needle.

Sunday, Milne was quoted by the agents, "they stuck the first needle into me."

Hospital physicians said Milne's right arm had about 25 marks made by a hypodermic needle.

The same day, the abductors attempted to force Milne to write a note to his grandfather in Philadelphia, but he refused. After that, the agents said, the young man was not able to recall what happened until yesterday.

At that time there were only two men in the house, judging from the sound of their movements. Milne's eyes and mouth were bound with adhesive tape.

"Come on, you're going home," Milne said someone told him, at the same time slapping his face.

Milne recalled riding again in an automobile and being pushed from it.

The agents assembled at his bedside after a hat and a coat, described as similar to Milne's, were found behind a schoolhouse not far from the spot where a motorist picked up the kidnap victim last night, four days after he disappeared from his New York apartment.

When his mother emerged from the hospital shortly after the Federal men started their questioning, she described young Caleb as "doing very nicely." Anita Smith, an aunt of the young man, said, "He's all right now."

At Scottland, home of Milne's grandfather, a retired manufacturer, Federal agents were on guard.

Department of Justice agents questioned four men who helped S. R. Gerhart, Philadelphia salesman, remove the young man to the hospital.

Gerhart, the salesman, and R. Morris Urguhart, an inventor, driving along Old York road, came upon the prostrate Milne shortly before last midnight. His eyes and lips were locked with adhesive tape. He wore no socks and had but one shoe. The other foot was swollen. He had a heavy beard. His coat was wrapped about him, the sleeves fastened tightly about the upper front part of his body. His wrists were tied to his knees with hemp.

Milne was semiconscious, but able to repeat his name a few minutes after the tape was removed from his mouth. "Don't stick those needles in me," he moaned. His right arm bore many needle marks.

Store Owner Cancels Debts as Yule Present

By the Associated Press.

Knoxville, Tenn., Dec. 19.—As a special Christmas gift, Charles G. Armstrong, former Knoxville clothing store owner, is telling 7,000 persons to forget about the $38,000 they owe on accounts.

"I'm wiping the slate clean," he said today. "From now on when I meet old acquaintances and patrons on the street I want to be able to say, 'old boy, you don't owe me a cent.'"

Armstrong is now Knox County trustee.

7 Federal Judgeship Vacancies to Be Filled

By the Associated Press.

Attorney General Cummings said yesterday seven Federal judgeships now open probably would be filled "sometime early in the coming session of Congress."

"No progress has been made now on any of the positions," Cummings said.

Vacancies to be filled include the Seventh Circuit Court of Appeals (Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin and Michigan), the Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals (Texas, Louisiana, Mississippi and Florida), and district judgeships in Virginia, Michigan, Ohio, and the Eastern and Southern Districts of New York.

Burglar Tries To Get Liggett Murder Files

Minnesota Prosecutor's Office Door Jimmied; Records Hidden.

By the Associated Press.

Minneapolis, Dec. 19.—H. H. Peterson, Minnesota attorney general, tonight disclosed that an attempt was made last night to enter his office, supposedly to steal records in the Walter Liggett assassination case.

He said the prowler did not, however, gain access to the files.

A side door opening into the offices had been sprung, Peterson said, and marks indicated a chisel had been used.

Peterson said the records had been secreted—the first time since the inquiry got under way—against such an attempt.

The attorney general said the Hennepin County grand jury would be asked to indict Isadore (Kid Cann) Blumenfeld as Liggett's slayer when the case is submitted tomorrow. Blumenfeld has been pointed out by two witnesses—Mrs. Liggett and Wesley Andersch—as the machine gun killer of the Midwest American publisher, December 9.

Detectives went to Omaha, Nebr., to question Billie Gilbert, 35-year-old blond who reportedly said "my sweetie killed Liggett." She told Omaha police she left Minneapolis two days ago. Detective Inspector A. C. Anderson, of Omaha, said the woman, well known to police, neither denied nor admitted making the remark, and that she said she possessed no real information on the Liggett slaying.

Mrs. Liggett, meanwhile, sent letters to State legislators demanding that her husband's slayers be brought to justice, and that "the political-racket criminal alliance in Minneapolis and Minnesota be broken up."

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Murderer of 6 Is Given Death; Betrayer Freed

Ex-Pugilist Smiles as Jury Dooms Him; Woman Aid Acquitted.

By the Associated Press.

Port Orchard, Wash., Dec. 19.—Death for husky Leo Hall, 33, former pugilist and one-time ministry student, today was recommended by a jury that convicted him of the Erlands Point mass murder of six persons in March, 1934.

Blonde Peggy Peterson Paulos, co-defendant, whose signed statement caused Hall's arrest two months ago, was acquitted. Her testimony formed the basis of the State's case.

Hall, openly defiant during preliminary stages of his prosecution, smiled quietly as he heard the verdict. His lawyers said a new trial would be sought.

Robbery Called Motive.

Mrs. Paulos and Hall were charged specifically with the murder of Eugene Chenevert—one of six persons beaten, hacked and shot to death at a party in the Frank Flieder home at Erlands Point, Wash., the night of March 28, 1934.

The State contended robbery was the motive.

Mrs. Paulos testified Hall forced her to accompany him to Erlands Point on a robbery venture, and that she helped him bind the six persons in the Flieder home. She said she fled, however, when fighting started.

At the time of her first statement the woman was quoted as saying she saw Hall carry Mrs. Frank Flieder, one of the victims, into a bedroom. When he reappeared, she said, his clothing was covered with blood. She said she ran from the house a short time later.

Confessed to Woman.

Later, on a Bremerton street, she met Hall and "he told me that he had killed them all," she was quoted.

The victims were Mr. and Mrs. Flieder, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Chenevert, Magnus Jordan and Fred Bolcom.

Mrs. Paulos was charged with Hall because of her confession as an accomplice. The law provides that a killing committed during the commission of another crime is first degree murder, and that accomplices in the first crime can be convicted of murder, though they killed no one.

Prosecutors urged the jury of eight men and four women to return a maximum verdict against Hall, but made no attempt to obtain a death penalty for Mrs. Paulos.

Wilkins Joins Search For Lincoln Ellsworth

Buenos Aires, Dec. 19 (AP).—Reports from Rio Gallegos, near the extreme southern tip of South America, said tonight that Dick Merrill and William Klenke, American pilots flying a plane from the United States, arrived late today and delivered the ship to Sir Hubert Wilkins for a search for Lincoln Ellsworth, missing explorer.

The reports did not say when Sir Hubert planned to take off on a flight over the Antarctic ice to look for Ellsworth.

Jail Sentence For Countess Is Ruled Illegal

Mme. De Benque Found Guilty Two Years Ago of $5,000 Larceny.

Countess Grace DeBenque, convicted in District Supreme Court two years ago on a charge of grand larceny of $5,000 from Miss Louise Maret, co-proprietor of a fashionable girls school here, was illegally sentenced, it was ruled in Federal Court at Norfolk, Va., yesterday, the Associated Press reported.

In habeas corpus proceedings, Judge Luther B. Way ordered the countess released from the women's prison for the District, at Occoquan, Va., and turned over to the United States marshal.

The marshal was instructed to deliver her to District Supreme Court for resentencing or whatever disposition the court wishes to make.

Countess DeBenque, whose husband is a Frenchman, was sentenced to serve two to four years. George A. Gormley, who was convicted and sentenced with her, received a sentence of from four to eight years. The pair was charged with taking $5,000 from Miss Maret on the pretense that it was to be used in "buying off" a pseudo policeman who had accosted Miss Maret and Gormley while they were riding in nearby Maryland.

The pair was sentenced in November, 1933. In February, 1934, Gormley contended at habeas corpus proceedings that he had been illegally sentenced because the crime for which he was convicted dated back to 1931, a year before the indeterminate sentence law was adopted. His plea was upheld, but he was resentenced to eight years. The court held that this could be done because the sentence was imposed during the same session of the court in which he was tried.

By waiting until a new session of the court, Countess DeBenque has evidently won her freedom. With the ruling that she was illegally sentenced under the indeterminate sentence law, it was indicated that she could not be resentenced, with the term of the court which tried her long since expired.

Eye Disease Bars Japanese From U.S.

By the United Press.

San Francisco, Dec. 19.—Dr. Toyohiko Kagawa, Japanese Christian leader who arrived here today aboard the Chichibu Maru to begin a Nation-wide speaking tour, was denied entrance to the United States by immigration authorities.

Examination at Angel Island, where passengers were placed in quarantine, showed Dr. Kagawa was suffering from trachoma, a severe eye infection, officials said.

Dr. Kagawa reportedly contracted the disease while doing evangelist work in the slum district of Tokyo. He reportedly has been operated upon 13 times.

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Norman Davis Hopeful of Pact At Naval Parley

U.S. Delegate, Pilgrim Dinner Speaker, Says Treaty Is Needed by World.

By the Associated Press.

London, Dec. 19.—Norman H. Davis, chief American delegate to the International Naval Conference, tonight asserted he was "most hopeful that a fair and constructive agreement" would be reached by the sea powers early in the new year.

He spoke at a Pilgrims' dinner in honor of the five naval delegations. His remarks came at a time when the conference appeared headed for a deadlock on Japanese demands for equality with Great Britain and the United States.

An agreement is necessary, Davis asserted, for world reconstruction and "for restoration of a more stable balance of the international political and economic system."

Readily admitting the numerous obstacles to such an agreement, he said he was convinced the spirit of co-operative good eventually would result in a new limitation pact and a "most successful conference, one which will not be marked by victory for one nation or by injury to another."

Tomorrow the conference will wind up until after the holidays, with the British further explaining their proposals for a new treaty on the principle that each nation set a limit on new construction based on needs instead of "rights."

The Japanese are likely to crack down even harder on these proposals, it was stated in Japanese quarters, making clear they must have equality.

French circles displayed impatience, a spokesman asserting: "We want to deal in realities, and while the British proposals are realistic, we have not yet got beyond vague generalities about them."

The Italian delegates will take their report home Saturday, and let Premier Mussolini decide their future moves.

Bonus Bill Fight May End Feb. 1 With Approval by Both Houses

Congressmen Get Issue as Philippine Trip Ends; Byrnes Has Plan.

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ruary 1 and expressed a hope that Congress could adjourn sine die by May 1. Incidentally, he said he did not believe the Townsend old-age-pension advocates had sufficient strength to pass legislation at this session to pay $200 a month to all persons 60 years of age or older. He pointed out that such a proposal was defeated in the last session and doubted whether it would attract 100 votes if it again came before the House.

But the most absorbing topic of the day was the forthcoming battle over the bonus, perhaps the last of many that have torn Congress for years. Interest in that subject was further stimulated by word that leaders of the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Disabled American Veterans would meet here in another week to try to join forces behind the same measure.

These organizations, it is understood, are sympathetic with the movement to side-track the Patman bill, which they believe has injected an extraneous question into the bonus issue. But whether they will unite behind the Byrnes-Steiwer bill remains to be seen.

The Byrnes-Steiwer bill would date the bonus certificates November 11, 1918, instead of 1925 as at present. Thus these certificates would reach full mautrity in two years, instead of 1945, as provided in the bonus scheme that has been under attack by veterans' organizations.

The measure furthermore would provide for payment of the accrued value of the certificate immediately. Thus, if a bill were passed by April a veteran would be able to obtain at that time about 97 per cent of the matured value of his bonus in cash, Senator Byrnes explained. The bill, he added, makes no provision for raising the funds necessary to make this payment.

Senator Byrnes contended that the measure which he is sponsoring

Associated Press Photo.
SPEAKER BYRNES.

is less distasteful to the White House than either the Patman bill, passed by Congress earlier this year, but vetoed by the President, or the Vinson bill, which had the support of the American Legion.

The inflationary aspects of the Patman bill, so vigorously assailed by the President, are not present in the Byrnes-Steiwer measure. The measure, unlike the Vinson bill which provided for an immediate cash payment in full, spreads the financing of payment of the bonus over a two-year period, thus easing the burden on the Treasury, Senator Byrnes pointed out.

"The advantage of this bill," he asserted, "is that the veteran who needs his money or wants it can get most of it at once. The veteran with a job may defer asking for his money immediately since he gets a little more by waiting. The advantage to the Treasury is that it will not be required to make the total payment at once, which, if made, would require the raising of $1,600,000,000."

Obstacles Seen Blocking Island Independence

Doughton Doubts Philippines Can Maintain New Freedom.

Doubt that the Philippine Islands can "maintain" the independence they seek was expressed yesterday by Representative L. Doughton, of North Carolina, chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee, on return from a Congressional tour of the islands.

"Homesick" for his North Carolina mountains, Doughton remained only a short while in Washington, leaving almost immediately to spend the holidays at his home. Yesterday's view of the Capitol dome, Doughton said, was the most welcome sight of the entire trip.

The North Carolinian appeared strongly skeptical about the Philippine independence project on his return here.

"We have carried out our promise," he said, "and I hope the islands succeed in maintaining their independence, but they are confronted by serious obstacles."

Among obstacles cited was the desire of Manila business interests to preserve tariff advantages they possessed as a United States territory, and the difference of views among the various island provinces. These differences, he said, make against Philippine "patriotic" unity.

Doughton expressed doubt that Japan has any military aspiration so far as the Philippines are concerned, but said the Eastern power may seek to "wedge its way into the islands in an industrial sense."

The Ways and Means Committee chairman frankly admitted he was "homesick." It was his first Congressional junket.

Forum to Hear Talk By Woman Educator

Mrs. Amber A. Warburton, noted woman educator, will lecture tonight at Workmen's Circle Hall, 1502 Fourteenth street northwest, under auspices of the Capital City Forum.

She will speak on workers' education in the United States. Mrs. Warburton at one time was connected with the Brookings Institution and formerly taught at Mount Holyoke College and Atlanta University.

Christmas Book Reviews To Be Given at Library

Book reviews comprising Christmas suggestions in fiction and poetry will be given tonight at 8 o'clock in the community room of the Public Library's Northeastern branch, Seventh street and Maryland avenue.

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Court Hints TVA Split

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register, and to quarter them if they do so."

The Supreme Court battle over TVA legality will be resumed today, when Solicitor General Stanley Reed will wind up the Government's case and James M. Beck, former Republican solicitor general and a member of the American Liberty League, will conclude argument for power company stockholders.

Three members of the Supreme Court bench, regarded as conservatives, fired question after question at O'Brian as he defended the constitutionality of the act.

Justice Sutherland wanted to know, in event it appeared that navigation was merely a "pretext" and that sale of power was the primary purpose of the act, if O'Brian considered that ground for invalidation.

Insisting that navigation aid actually was the prime purpose of the act, O'Brian said it was a question for the court to decide.

A few moments earlier, Justice McReynolds asked O'Brian if he contended the Federal Government "could put up as much money as it chooses to generate electric power, and having done that, sell power throughout the country, unregulated and beyond the power of the States to control?"

Parries Question.

"That's broader than I would go," said O'Brian.

"Can it take that power and go out and break up every public utility within 500 miles?" persisted McReynolds.

"That is not the purpose," said O'Brian.

The Federal attorney made a significant admission that the Government had "abandoned" efforts to sell electric appliances through the Electric Home and Farm Authority, because of its doubtful constitutionality. He said the unit had been reorganized to finance such purchases.

"You mean the Government would supply credit to buy appliances that would use power produced as an incidental purpose of the dams?" asked Justice Butler.

O'Brian insisted the TVA purpose was to sell power only to municipalities, and not to engage in a commercial retail business.

Justice Sutherland put the hypothetical question of whether a Government factory manufacturing clothing for the Army might "double" its facilities, and then utilize their machinery to make clothing for civilian sales.

O'Brian said in his opinion it could not.

McReynolds inquired into so-called social objectives of TVA, but O'Brian said that was not at issue in the case. He said Reed today will discuss other TVA activities.

At the outset of arguments, Justices Brandeis and Stone showered Johnston with questions.

Brandeis admonished Johnston that in law he must "show that stockholders, who have a limited interest, have been irreparably injured."

"The bill avers it," said Johnston. "Show me where it is, and the findings of the courts in the matter," said Brandeis.

Johnston said he would look up the reference and submit it to the court.

Stone asked if the lawyer thought the power company directors made a "mistake" in negotiating a TVA contract.

"They made more than a mistake," said Johnston. "They violated a duty in not resisting an unconstitutional program."

Chief Justice Hughes asked if he challenged "the right of the Government to sell power in that area."

"By all means," said the attorney, "except to Government enterprises."

Upheld in Alabama.

Fourteen minority stockholders of the Alabama Power Co. originally went into court in Alabama, contesting the company's right to contract for sale of transmission lines to TVA. Federal Judge William I. Grubb, of Alabama, upheld this contention, but Grubb's decision was overruled by a Circuit Court of Appeals in New Orleans.

While the Supreme Court heard arguments in the TVA case the law firm of Covington, Burling, Rublee, Acheson & Shorb, representing four holding companies in the United Light & Power group, yesterday filed a brief with the District Supreme Court proposing consolidation of the many injunction suits contesting validity of the utilities holding company act.

In so doing, they accepted an invitation by the court that utilities work out an understanding with the Government on pooling the suits into one or two test cases. Speaking for the Government, Attorney General Cummings had rejected the invitation as "futile." A decision by the local court on the Government's request for a stay is expected daily.

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Langer, Freed In Third Trial, Silent on Future

Ex-Governor Refuses to Discuss Rumor He Will Run Against Nye.

By the Associated Press.

Bismarck, N. Dak., Dec. 19.—Acquitted today in his third trial on Federal conspiracy charges, former Gov. William Langer maintained smiling silence as rumors arose concerning his political plans.

The one-time Republican chief executive, who was renominated as his party's candidate for that post after a jury had convicted him at his first trial in June, 1934, would not comment on reports that he would seek his old post.

"I haven't given it any thought," he replied to queries.

He declined likewise to discuss rumors that he might wait until 1938 to re-enter politics as the opponent of his one-time political ally, United States Senator Gerald P. Nye.

In a brief statement issued a few hours after the Federal court jury freed him, Langer termed the 20 months' litigation which terminated in his victory today an attempt to procure his "political assassination" and blamed Nye for his troubles.

Langer and his two co-defendants acquitted with him—Frank Vogel, former State highway commissioner, and B. A. Kinzer, former executive relief secretary—were charged with conspiracy to obstruct Federal relief measures by soliciting contributions for "The Leader" from workers paid with Federal money.

"The Leader" was an organ devoted to support of the Langer administration. Oscar Erickson, its publisher, was freed two days ago on a directed verdict from the same accusation.

The four were first convicted in June, 1934, and won a new trial on their appeal to the Federal court. Last month, a jury disagreed in their second trial.

Langer was ousted from the Governorship by the State Supreme Court soon after his first conviction.

Another rumor which circulated today was that he might attempt immediately to regain that office on the theory that the incumbent, Walter Welford, was not legally elected and that no one had been legally named since Langer was removed.

Maxwell Death

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move to have his father's body exhumed until he had gotten outside opinions on the autopsy report. The Richmond physicians advised the disinterment.

Under Virginia law, the only person who may file the petition is Mrs. Maxwell, who is under indictment as an accomplice. She is to be tried in March. Earl said his mother has agreed to file the exhumation petition.

Edith is now in the Wise County Jail, awaiting action on her appeal to the Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals, asking a general reversal of the opinion of the lower court judge, who denied her motion for a new trial.

Yesterday's Contributions.

The following contributions were received yesterday for the Washington Post Edith Maxwell Defense Fund:

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Anonymous	.50
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Buckley, Publisher And Banker, Dies

New York, Dec. 19 (AP).—George Buckley, vice president of the National City Bank and former publisher of the Chicago Herald-Examiner, died today.

Under the NRA, he served as head of the newspaper and publishing division. Later he became a deputy administrator of the Federal housing act and had an important part in putting it into operation.

Born in Washington, Iowa, he attended the University of Chicago and in 1914 joined the Crowell Publishing Co. In 1917 he became its president. Later he became publisher of the Chicago Herald-Examiner, leaving it in 1925 to take a position with the National City Bank of New York. He was elected vice president of the bank the following year.

Score Seek Release From Reformatory

Applications of 20 District prisoners for parole are to be considered at a meeting of the parole board at the District Reformatory at Lorton, Va., tomorrow.

Those whose applications are to be considered are Helen Parkin, John McKeen Kirk, William Bailey, Oliver H. Perry, Birl H. Bland, Sam Lapas, Walter C. Koons, James Barnes, Verna Witten, Gus Gaddis, Joseph H. Stevenson, Clark Wright, Rennick Calvin, James Williams, Laurence F. Brooks, Thomas Walker, George Brantley, John W. Kincaid, Gabriele Schiavonia and William Johnson.

100 Children Receive Christmas Gifts Today

One hundred of Washington's unfortunate children will receive Christmas presents in the Auditorium of John Quincy Adams School today at 11:45 a. m. The Parent-Teacher Association is sponsoring the presentation.

Toys, food and clothing have been collected during the past two weeks by the Parent-Teacher Association. Thirty-five baskets will be distributed to needy families throughout the city by Boy Scouts and Boy Patrols.

Score of Ships Rush to Rescue Barge on Fire

Pillar of Smoke Creates Fear of New Disaster; Crew Escapes.

By the Associated Press.

New York, Dec. 19.—A towering pillar of smoke from the coal barge Marie de Ronde, destroyed by fire off Long Island in the Atlantic, 55 miles east of New York City, today prompted a major concentration of rescue vessels in the fear that another marine disaster was in the making at New York's door.

Five crew members abandoned the barge after a futile three-hour battle with the flames, and were taken aboard the tug Wellfleet, which had the barge in tow from Philadelphia to Boston.

The barge had a gross tonnage of 2,376 and carried a cargo of 3,000 tons of soft coal valued at $16,500.

The first glimpse of fire and smoke through a light fog eight miles offshore was reported by the Coast Guard at the Blue Point station on the Long Island coast.

Every available Coast Guard craft in the area was ordered to the scene, including a Coast Guard amphibian plane from Cape May, on the southernmost tip of New Jersey, and the lifeboat Invincible from Sandy Hook.

Including merchant vessels, a score or more of rescue ships raced down on the burning barge. All proceeded on their way or returned to stations when it was ascertained the crew was safe and the fire beyond control.

Coast Guards, with the Morro Castle and Mohawk disasters still fresh in their minds, put to sea under first impressions that the burning vessel was a freighter or possibly a passenger vessel. High speed launches and the Coast Guard's big cutters, Pontchartrain, Mojave and Icarus, raced in past Fire Island Light and other shore stations to stand by. In all, 16 Coast Guard craft reached the barge's side.

San Pedro, Calif., Dec. 19 (AP).—Fire destroyed the $50,000 tuna fishing motorship Hermosa today near Puntarenas, Costa Rica, but the crew of 14 men was saved, Capt. John Zuanich reported.

The Hermosa, a 139-foot vessel, was in the Gulf of Nicoya.

Princess Seeks Decree

Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

MARION SNOWDEN, youthful heiress, called it a "beautiful friendship," but the 4-year-old marriage to Prince Rospigliosi of Italy will end in Mexican divorce, she said yesterday in Kansas City on way to Mexico City by plane.

Officials Draft Resettlement Taxation Plan

Needed to Enable Local Governments to Assess Federal Projects.

By the Associated Press.

A plan to permit taxation of Federal resettlement projects by local governments was virtually completed yesterday by Administration officials.

Assistants to Rexford G. Tugwell, resettlement administrator, explained that under existing laws State and county authorities may not collect taxes on property owned by the Federal Government.

The resettlement plan, an official said, would provide that title to property bought for a project would be deeded to some form of community organization, subject to local taxes.

In the case of four major developments where homes are to be provided for about 5,000 families, an official explained that residents would form an organization which would hold title to the property under a long-term purchase agreement.

The management division of the administration would assist in supervision of the projects during the life of the purchase agreement. Occupants of the homes would pay rent to the community organizations, and these would in turn make purchase payments to the Federal Government.

The new tax plan, it was said, was developed to prevent resettlement communities from becoming isolated Federal "islands," removed from all responsibilities and duties to local governments. It has been planned to make the communities as much a part of each locality as possible.

It was explained that the housing projects may increase the value of assessable property in a county considerably. Cost of the four major projects has been estimated at from $4,000,00 to $8,000,000 each, exclusive of land.

Washington Magicians To Hold Party Tonight

An evening of magic and mirth will be presented by the Washington Assembly of the Society of American Magicians in the National Press Club auditorium at 8:15 o'clock tonight.

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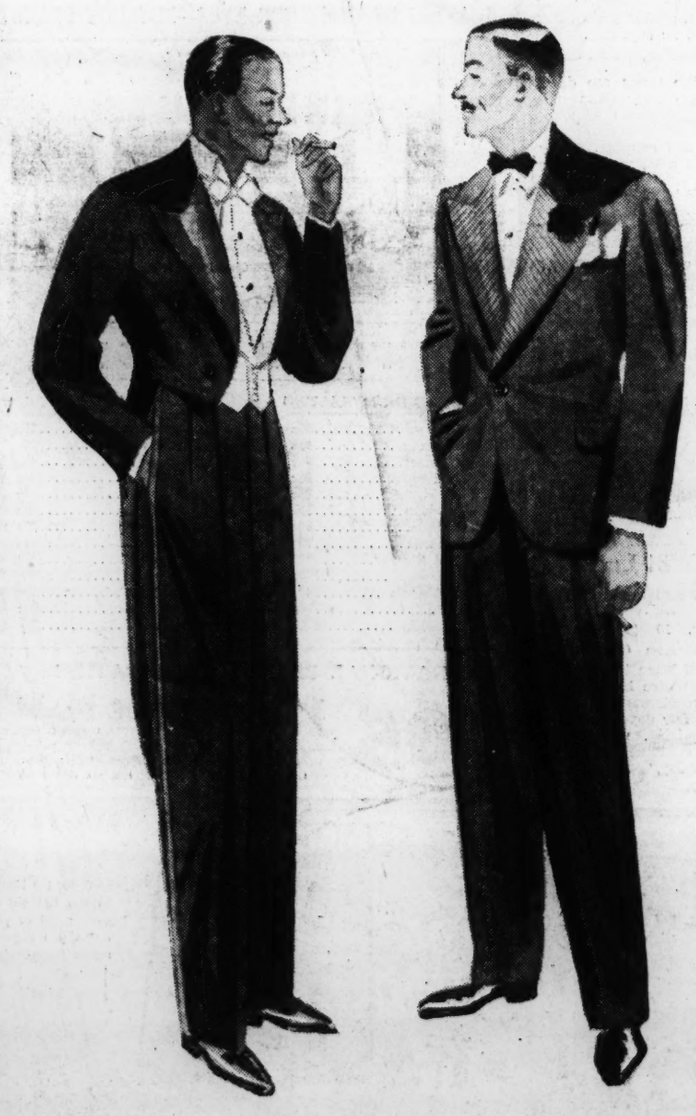

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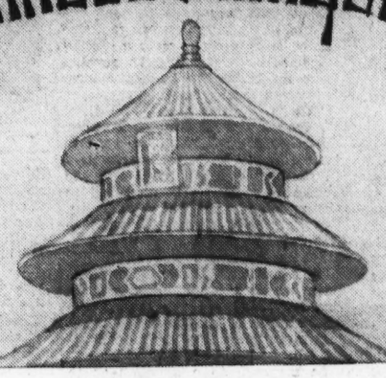

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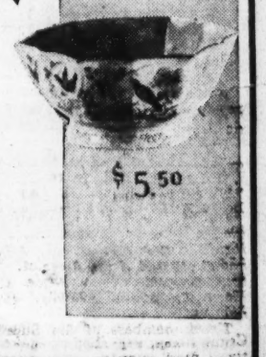

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Chamber Votes French Budget; Laval Fall Near

Cabinet Overthrow Likely After Inflation Peril Is Averted.

By the Associated Press.

Paris, Dec. 19.—France's 1936 budget was approved by the Chamber of Deputies tonight, clearing the way for possible overthrow of the Laval government over the Anglo-French plan for peace in Africa.

Totaling 40,431,074,137 francs, it is France's first paper-balanced budget in years and it now faces Senate approval.

Parliamentary circles said that when the budget is safely voted, assuring the franc of safety against devaluation, Premier Laval's fall is almost certain to result from his agreement with Sir Samuel Hoare on the discarded peace plan.

The ordinary budget voted tonight was in addition to a 6,000,000,000-franc extraordinary arms appropriation adopted last week.

Fear of a possible spread of the African war to Europe grew.

Some political circles expected Laval to offer his resignation to President Albert Lebrun upon his return from Geneva, but said the President undoubtedly would urge Laval to go before the Chamber of Deputies for a showdown on a vote of confidence. He may do this December 24, although a debate on foreign affairs is not scheduled until December 27.

A new tone of solemnity toward Premier Mussolini appeared in the press and he was warned against incurring further "reprobation."

The conservative Le Temps accused Il Duce of "diplomatic errors." It would be vain, the newspaper warned, for France to attempt to go farther than the Laval-Hoare plan in fulfilling the task of conciliation.

Although former Premier Edouard Herriot resigned last night as leader of the Radical-Socialist Party in order to remain in the cabinet, it was said in chamber lobbies that he might eventually resign as minister of state.

"It is no secret that Herriot would prefer a firmer foreign policy," said Andre Cornu, a member of the Radical-Socialist Party, which holds the balance of power in the chamber.

Control of the party, following Herriot's resignation as leader, may pass to Edouard Daladier, an anti-Laval leader, it was said by deputies.

U. S. Self-Confidence Impresses Tsurumi, Japan's Sinclair Lewis

'Shakiness' of Americans Lost in Three Years, He Declares Here.

In three years there has been a complete revolution in American public opinion. In fact, the country in that time has passed from extreme self-distrust to fully renewed self-confidence.

Such is the impression of Yusuke Tsurumi, so-called "Sinclair Lewis of Japan," guest the last few days at the Japanese Embassy. Tsurumi has been giving a series of lectures at the Des Moines Forum. His best-known book, "Mother," sold a million copies. In addition to his literary activities Tsurumi has been a member of the Japanese Diet and will be a candidate again at the next election.

"Beyond all else," said Tsurumi, "I was struck in an interview by the degree to which the American people have regained their self-confidence. On my previous visits in 1931 and 1932 I had occasion to speak before audiences in all parts of the country during six months. These audiences gave the impression of being shaky, unsure of themselves and of their future. They seemed to be turning to foreign issues in an attempt to escape from their own internal problems.

"Today, on the contrary, I have the feeling the American people see that they are safely on the road to recovery. They take less interest in political events abroad and are becoming increasingly absorbed in their own national problems. Speaking as a Japanese, I was also impressed by the manifest improvement in the relations between our two countries. Those Americans with whom I have talked on my present visit appear to have given up the idea of the Chinese market and to be thinking much more realistically of Asiatic questions."

In response to a question as to Japanese policy in Asia and the latest developments particularly in Outer Mongolia, where Japanese and Soviet interests are clashing dangerously at the moment, Tsurumi said:

"A parallel has been suggested between the American position in the Philippines and that of the Soviet Union in Outer Mongolia. I should like to challenge any such suggestion. The Americans bought the Philippines from Spain, whereas the Russians can only justify their position by the fact of conquest.

"Japan views with alarm the spread of communism throughout Chinese Turkestan and the outer provinces. We can not wait. We must defend ourselves, as we can not afford either politically or economically to let foreign interests control China. After all, as the whole world is at last beginning to understand, peace is primarily an economic issue."

Post Staff Photo.
YUSUKE TSURUMI.

Speaking of Manchukuocan and Ethiopian questions and of the relation of the League to these Tsurumi said:

"In both these episodes the striking fact to my mind is the complete breakdown of the League as a political force. In Japan we had, before the Manchurian affair, the second largest League of Nations society in the world. When we saw the delegates from small, inland South American countries having an equal voice with Japan in Asiatic questions; when, too, we heard their representatives speaking of questions that meant life and death to ourselves as merely academic problems, then you can realize the extent of our disillusionment."

Ethiopia Loses On Two Fronts; 1,272 Are Slain

Italians Set Loss at 272 and Foes' at 1,000; Battles Continue.

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Asmara, Eritrea, Dec. 19.—Sporadic fighting continued on the northern front tonight as estimates of Ethiopian dead in the fierce three-day battle on Takkaze River rose to more than 1,000. Italian dead numbered 272, the high command said.

Many of the Ethiopian dead and wounded were carried from the field as the barefooted warriors, at first successful against the Italians, finally were routed by machine gun fire and a desperate bayonet charge.

Italian advance posts south of Makale have routed attacking Ethiopian forces after a savage fight, headquarters announced today. Casualties, not estimated, were said to have been heavy.

(A United Press dispatch from Addis Ababa described a battle that was in progress north of Makale, on the Italian main line of communications. One fight was said to have lasted more than 24 hours, with the Italians bringing up tanks and bombing planes to their support.)

The Italian victory on the precipices forming the banks of the Takkaze River was confirmed today as the most important engagement to date on the northern front. The bloody fight came after Ethiopian warriors massed in the Amba Alagi and Gondar regions. They attacked at dawn Sunday at the Takkaze, armed with modern European weapons. Apparently they intended to encircle the Italians, but were weakened and dispersed after blackshirt reinforcements arrived.

Heroic hand to hand fighting along the edges of cliffs from 4,000 to 5,000 feet high marked the clash.

Endurance of the Italian soldiers was thoroughly tested in the high, dangerous rock terrain. The Ethiopion resistance was strong and they retired only after machine guns and bombs mowed down their ranks. It was reported that several bands of the Ethiopians had been cut off from their main army and soon would be captured.

League Studies Sanctions

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that collapse of the two-power peace project was due largely to irresistible pressure of world public opinion.

Confidence Revived.

Likewise there was a feeling that while peace between Italy and Ethiopia is more distant than ever before, there is a definite recovery of confidence in the League, which for a time faced complete shipwreck.

On the other hand, opponents of sanctions pointed out that the clearest result of the whole episode begun by Sir Samuel Hoare, of Great Britain, and Premier Pierre Laval, of France, had been the postponement of oil sanctions—if not their abandonment.

This, at least, was a clear gain for Il Duce, they said.

Premier Laval returned to Paris a bitterly disappointed but unbeaten man.

"Our effort to bring peace must be constant," he said.

The League, meanwhile, received reports that current sanctions, especially the "buy nothing" boycott, are beginning to embarrass Mussolini.

New Studies Urged.

Although nothing apparently will be done about the oil sanction until after the first of the year, British delegates suggested that experts examine it and other possible new sanctions from a technical standpoint.

Geneva got a closeup of the fervor of Italian patriotism during the day. Hundreds of Italian women, most of them the wives of workmen, deposited their gold possessions in a soldier's helmet at Fascist headquarters.

One young Italian rushed in at the last moment with the wedding ring of his mother, who had died an hour before. His mother, he said, desired to be buried with a steel ring, symbolic of Italian unity against sanctions.

Park Christmas Tree Program Completed

The executive committee headed by Mrs. Elizabeth K. Peeples, director of the Community Center Department, yesterday completed arrangements for the Christmas tree lighting exercises in Lafayette Park next Tuesday.

The President and Mrs. Roosevelt and the White House party will arrive at 5 p. m. Dignitaries in the Presidential stand will include the Secretary of State and Mrs. Hull, the Secretary of Commerce and Mrs. Roper, the District Commissioners, justices of the District Supreme Court, members of the Board of Education, civic leaders and others.

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Baldwin Wins Peace Vote

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was a compelling factor in the government's desire for early peace.

Baldwin bound the government to continue staunch support of the League, but uttered a clear threat to other League nations to back up Britain's military and naval preparations to enforce sanctions if they do not want Britain to retire to isolation from continental affairs.

"If by adherence to the League we find ourselves standing alone to do what ought to be done by everybody," Baldwin asserted, "this country would say: 'This is the last time we will allow our government to commit us to collective security'."

This barb was believed aimed at Laval, who reportedly influenced Hoare to strive for quick compromise peace by saying France was not ready to back up the British fleet if Italy should retaliate violently against tightening sanctions. Laval needs Britain's backing against re-arming Germany.

Hoare Post Empty.

Baldwin failed to make the expected announcement of a new foreign minister. Overnight Anthony Eden appears to have most backing, even though he was one of the leaders in the cabinet revolt against the Hoare-Laval peace scheme. Sir Austen Chamberlain, who reportedly engineered Hoare's resignation by organizing a cabal at the famous Conservative Club and bringing pressure to bear, now is mentioned prominently.

Sir Samuel was both a defiant and pathetic figure as he entered the chamber, grim featured, a plaster across his nose, broken in a skating accident a few days after he signed the Paris proposals.

His first words were an appeal for personal sympathy: "My luck is out. Fate may have been overkind to me in the past. Bodily accident before Baldwin spoke, the prime minister hinted that the fear of a "mad dog" act by a desperate Italy added to bodily weariness laid me aside when I should have been explaining my position to my cabinet colleagues and commons." He referred to his vacation in Switzerland while opposition against his alleged "betrayal" of Ethiopia and the League mounted at home.

Hits Misrepresentation.

"Misrepresentations and criticisms have so gained the field that it is most difficult for me to put up any line of defense," he continued, then firmly launched into a belligerent defense of his actions.

"While foreign secretary I was obsessed with the endeavor to prevent an European conflagration. I never allowed a day to pass without attempting to find a peaceful settlement of this hateful conflict * * * I have been desirous of avoiding an isolated war between two former friends and allies, Britain and Italy.

"Every day of war became more and more dangerous. Evil reactions were world-wide. Trouble showed itself in the East as well as the West, in China, Egypt and Europe."

The Paris conversations, he said, "began in an atmosphere of threatened war. Within five days the question of an oil embargo was to arise at Geneva."

"Seemed a Basis."

Neither Hoare nor Laval like many features of the proposals but they "seemed a basis whereon we could start peace discussion."

The former foreign secretary revealed that last summer Premier Benito Mussolini of Italy had announced that any peaceful settlement of his quarrel with Ethiopia would require him to annex all parts of the East African empire which "do not form a part of Ethiopia proper"—namely all but the small central core directly and traditionally controlled by the Amharic people.

Hoare was "terrified" to think that "we might lead Ethiopia to think the League could do more than it could. There were only two ways of ending the war, either by peace by negotiation or peace by surrender."

Sir Samuel then painted a grim picture of the dangers facing Britain of being left alone to fight Italy in case Mussolini should strike back against sanctions.

British Acted Alone.

"We are entering a much more dangerous phase, a new chapter of the war. Not a ship, not a machine, not a man has been moved by any other League member. Without active co-operation, collective security would be impossible and the League would dissolve."

"The aggressor," he warned, "can strike with appalling speed"—a reference apparently to rumors that Italy's first blow would be an air attack on the British Mediterranean fleet.

"It was clear that Italy would react violently against imposition of such a sanction (oil embargo). Britain does not fear the Italian threat, but the lightning that might light a European conflagration.

"I sincerely believe that the course I took was the only one possible under the circumstances. * * * With all humility I tell this House that my conscience is clear."

Sir Samuel explained that he resigned because a foreign minister must have the approval of his fellow countrymen. "I have not got that approval behind me today," he said. "I hope my successor will have better luck."

Friends Cheer.

As he slumped to his bench, deeply moved, his head dropped to his hands and he wept. Friends in the House—even among those who felt he had blundered—cried, "Hear! Hear!" for several moments.

As Sir Samuel left the chamber, Maj. Clement Attlee, Laborite leader, arose and demanded that the entire cabinet resign.

"If it is right that Sir Samuel resign it is right for the government," he asserted, demanding repudiation of the Paris terms. "We are told that the terms are dead, but they stand on record as the view of this government of what was just. The terms misrepresent the people of the country. They are regarded as a betrayal of the electors."

Demanding that Baldwin also resign, Attlee thundered:

"There are two issues—the honor of the country and the honor of the prime minister."

Baldwin then made his apologetic declaration and was followed by Austin Chamberlain, who asserted:

"When Maj. Attlee pointed at Mr. Baldwin and said Baldwin's honor was at stake, he assured that not a single supporter of the government would abstain from the vote."

The House of Lords meanwhile adopted without record vote a motion of Lord Davies condemning the Paris proposals and sustaining the government policy for "strong collective action against aggression" as outlined by Hoare at Geneva in September and indorsed by the November election.

McCarran Will Leave Chicago Hospital Soon

Chicago, Dec. 19 (AP).—Senator Patrick A. McCarran (Democrat), of Nebraska, will leave the Presbyterian Hospital, where he is under treatment for a stomach ailment, within the next few days, Dr. John Foster, his physician, said today. "His condition continued to show improvement today," Dr. Foster said.

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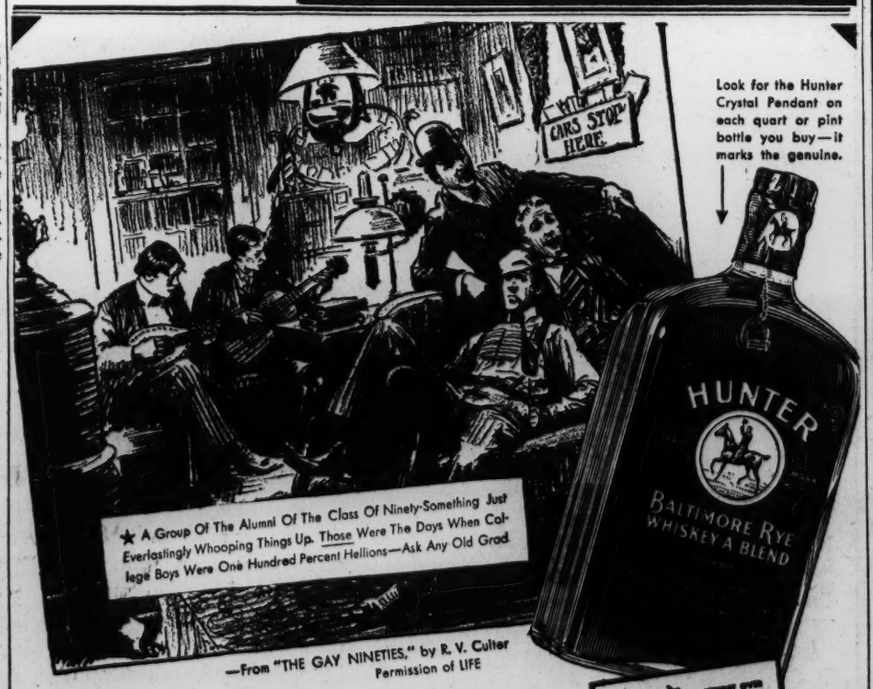
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Quality of U. S. Neutrality Stirs New Argument

McReynolds for Letting President Decide, but Vandenberg Differs.

A Congressional conflict on whether proposed new neutrality legislation should give the President discretionary or mandatory embargo powers was brought to the fore yesterday.

Chairman Sam D. McReynolds, of the House Foreign Affairs Committee, just back from the Orient, upheld the Administration's contention that the powers should be discretionary, while Senator Arthur Vandenberg, of Michigan, in a radio address, insisted that the authority conferred upon the Executive should be mandatory.

McReynolds expects to confer with Secretary of State Hull today or tomorrow on the proposed legislation, and said he favors early action in the coming session. He told reporters the new legislation "might be more descriptive or extend to certain classes of credits." He favored making it discretionary with the President whether oil and cotton should be branded as implements of war.

Should Avoid Exposure.

Senator Vandenberg declared the Nation must "minimize her exposure to those external hazards which multiply in other areas cursed by conquests and crises with which we have no relation."

"This manifestly means," he said, "that effective American neutrality must be our prime pursuit if we would avoid needless war—the dominant mandate of the American heart. This does not mean that we are 'too proud to fight' if national honor or national integrity require it. It does mean that we shall try to be wise enough not to expose ourselves to controversies which we can honorably avoid."

Pittman Speech

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selves, or decide where to make our stand and make it there."

He said Japan now plans to seize the Philippines "as soon as opportunity affords."

"What are we to do if they grab the Philippines—which is almost sure to come?" he demanded. "Will we retreat or will we stand and fight?

"I supported the League of Nations sincerely, but it has turned out a terrible failure, particularly in dealing with Japan. The Japanese have seized every opportunity when the powers were otherwise tied up, to add territory by conquest.

"They are banking on England's entanglements in Europe and the pacifist sentiment in the United States to keep these two countries from acting until it is too late.

"I am sick and tired of pussyfooting with Japan—especially since the statement of its delegate at the London conference that Japan must have a navy equal to ours because of their fear of war in the Pacific.

"There are only two things Japan is afraid of, and those are the navies of Great Britain and the United States. If it should happen that these navies should find it necessary to maneuver in the Pacific near Japan, at about the same time, Japan would listen to reason without a shot being fired, or a life being lost."

Stresses 9-Power Treaty.

The Nevada Senator stressed the nine-power treaty, guaranteeing integrity to China, of which both Japan and the United States are signatories, declaring Japan had "violated it on several occasions, which showed her utter contempt for the governments of other nations."

"I am not an alarmist," Pittman said, "but it is time somebody informed the people of this Nation of the danger. Once Japan gains full control of China, it will be the most powerful nation in the world and able to carry out its dreams of conquest.

"England realizes this, which is why she is attempting to withdraw from the Italo-Ethiopian argument. But she is in a dangerous position if she gives in to Mussolini. It is like arresting a thief and turning him loose with the loot on a promise he won't do it any more.

"I am for peace and neutrality, but with the world in its present state we must decide on a policy and take a firm stand."

The Senator, en route to Washington after attending a senatorial inquiry into Federal court receiverships in Los Angeles, will leave for the Capital tomorrow.

Contest Blanks Out.

Entry blanks in the Christmas home decoration contest of the Junior Board of Commerce have been placed in all Peoples Drug Stores. All entries must be received at the board's office, room 204 Star Building, by noon, December 24. Three cash prizes—$150, $100 and $50—will be awarded.

D. C. Postal Receipts Largest in 15 Years

Postmaster General Farley yesterday went to stamp sale receipts at the Washington city postoffice to prove that Christmas business in the Nation's Capital is larger this year than it has been in more than a decade.

He announced that on Wednesday of this week postoffice receipts here totaled $69,000 for the day, higher than for any similar period in the last 15 years.

The receipts, Farley said, did not include sales at the city's many branch postoffices.

The total for the corresponding day of last year, December 18, was $57,000, the Postmaster General added.

U. S. Will Sign Holland Trade Treaty Today

McNary Carries Protest on Canadian Agreement to White House.

By the Associated Press.

In the midst of continued rumbling from Republican quarters against the Canadian trade agreement, the State Department yesterday announced that a new reciprocal trade pact would be signed today—with The Netherlands.

As the State Department went ahead with its trade program Senator McNary, of Oregon, Republican leader, called at the White House to ask President Roosevelt to consider modification in the lumber provisions of the Canadian agreement.

McNary carried to the Chief Executive protests from the Pacific Northwest against the lumber provisions as they stand and asked the President to study modification he had already suggested to Secretary Hull.

One of the suggestions, McNary said, was that the lumber quota of 250,000,000 board feet per year be allocated on monthly basis to prevent imports from flooding in from Canada and demoralizing the domestic market.

A similar proposal was advanced to the President earlier in the week by Senator Bone (Democrat), Washington.

McNary reported the President had "listened politely" and had promised to talk to Hull about the suggestions.

The Netherlands agreement to be signed today will be the ninth negotiated by the New Deal under the reciprocal tariff law of 1934. The eighth—with Honduras—was announced Wednesday.

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associations, physicians, lawyers, dentists, veterinarians, contractors, sub-contractors, public stenographers, auctioneers, and "other individuals, firms or associations who follow a regular and distinct trade, business or profession in the course of which they offer their services to the public to be performed independently of the control of the employer."

Detailed reports on their employes must be made to the director by all employers having less than eight employes. Employers having eight or more employes are to be permitted to make blanket returns for permanent employes.

The regulations covered 46 typewritten pages of legal size. They are to be printed and distributed to employers, of whom it is estimated there are 15,000 within scope of law. The regulations govern the reports which must be made by employers from whom the first tax of 1 per cent of their pay rolls must be paid between February 1 and February 15.

The law does not affect District or Federal employes. Nor does it affect domestics, casual employes—for example, a person hired irregularly or part time. Neither are any of these employes eligible for the limited benefits of the act, which provides a maximum benefit of $15 a week for a maximum period of 16 weeks, beginning in 1940.

The commission set forth the things which are to be required of employers in a "supplemental regulation No. 1." The law requires each to keep a record of all employes, amount of wages paid (monthly, semimonthly or weekly); value of meals, lodging, laundry, etc., furnished by the employer, as set forth in a table; amount of gratuities (tips) received by employes, also set forth in a table; number of hours each employe works each week if not more than 30 hours a week; if more than 30 the time may be shown as 30 plus.

Beginning with February, monthly reports are to be made to the commission between the first and fifteenth of each month.

All employers must accompany their monthly reports with the amount of the pay-roll tax due. It is sent to the director of unemployment compensation.

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Gomez Of Venezuela.

With the death of Gen. Juan Vicente Gomez Latin America loses one of the most extraordinary figures in all its colorful political history. None since Porfirio Diaz, of Mexico, and Manuel Estrada Cabrera, of Guatemala, have endured so long in power as this old man who ruled Venezuela for 27 years. So deep-rooted was his hold on his country that, almost alone of the Hispanic-American republics, it was unaffected by the series of revolutions which a few years ago overturned nearly every government to the south of us.

The secret of this dictator's power can scarcely be said to have resided in the affection of his people. A politically inept aristocracy distrusted him, while it courted his favor. Large numbers of this class who live outside the country in enforced exile testify to his ruthless handling of opposition. Yet the masses, unconcerned with the political ambitions of their social superiors, were at least grateful for the peace and order which he assured to them. Despots of Europe could profit from observing the skill with which he identified dictatorship and national tranquillity.

In its main lines the rule of Gomez followed the traditional formula of the *caudillo*, as practiced by Francia, Rosas and every other chieftain of the type. The variations from the routine pattern were the expression of his own unique personality. Originally a cattleman in the Tachira highlands, he always remained a rancher at heart, sparing of words, a hater of indoors, conceiving of wealth in terms of land and herds. He managed the country much as he managed his estates, which became the largest in South America.

Royalties from the rich Maracaibo oil field financed the construction of thousands of miles of motor highways and of port works and other public improvements. Yet, to a world of unbalanced budgets, fiscal uncertainties, and astronomical public debts, Gomez's outstanding achievement was his complete liquidation of the nation's foreign debt—his reduction of the internal debt to a level with that of a small American city, and the creation of a regular surplus in the Venezuelan treasury.

Whatever his political philosophy or methods, Gomez bequeaths his country a heritage of internal order and of financial solvency and independence. It will be a great achievement if his political heirs leave these gains intact. Many ambitions and bitternesses, long repressed, clamor for a reckoning. The rule of Gomez was too personal and too absolute for its continuance to go unchallenged once the ruler is gone.

Portable Schools Again.

Two of the portable school buildings which were first used during the war period are to be put back into service. Rickety and ramshackle, difficult to heat and with unsatisfactory sanitary arrangements, the old buildings will be set up to meet the demands of a neighborhood which has recently shown a considerable increase in school-age population.

The only bright spot in the picture lies in the fact that the National Park Service, which provided the lots for the schools, has loaned the land for no longer than two years. This means that plans must soon be put under way to provide permanent school facilities for that area of the city, for school buildings can not be ordered and received in less than a year at best. Presumably provision for such additions will be made in the recently announced long-range building program of the Board of Education.

Washington has had school-building programs before. The last one came to nothing, for the simple reason that Congress refused to appropriate funds for it. And there is a strong possibility that some such fate will await the present plans unless the combined efforts of the Board of Education and the Commissioners, actively supported by the citizens of the District, can succeed in impressing upon Congress the urgency of the situation. Perhaps the best way to accomplish this would be to invite the District committees to spend a day in one of the portable buildings.

Even if the roof did not blow off—as has happened more than once in the past—at least the committee members could listen to a lesson in simple arithmetic. It might be then learned that $9,000,000 (the former Federal contribution to the District expenses) minus $5,700,000 (last year's Federal contribution) leaves $3,300,000 to the bad. And it is difficult to get adequate progress in school construction out of a minus quantity.

Beyond Prospective Needs.

The twelve governors of the Federal Reserve banks, meeting here as the system's open-market committee, have concluded a session devoted to problems of credit control without taking any action to reduce the volume of member-bank excess reserves.

The official statement, reported to have been unanimously indorsed, admits, however, that bank reserves are "far beyond the present or prospective requirements of credit for sound business expansion." Assurances are given that the problems created by these reserves will be given "unremitting study" with a view of taking appropriate action "as soon as it appears to be in the public interest." While this ambiguous promise leaves room for varying interpretations, it at least does not decisively reject the recent recommendations of the system's advisory council, which urged immediate reduction of excess reserves.

It is generally agreed that reserves are now excessive to the point of constituting a potential danger to the stability of the credit structure. On that point there is little room for argument, but honest differences of opinion exist as to whether control measures should be preventive or whether they should be deferred until evidences of unsound credit expansion appear. Moreover, those who agree that immediate action should be taken disagree as to the proper method to be employed. Opinions also differ as to the probable effect of restrictive policies upon legitimate business activity.

The most compelling argument in favor of taking immediate steps to eliminate at least part of the existing excess reserves lies in the relative ease with which checks could be imposed. Winthrop W. Aldrich, president of the Chase National Bank, pointed out in a recent address that any argument against present action would apply with redoubled force at a later time, after loans had begun to expand. If the Reserve Board should use its power to raise reserve requirements, for example, the hardships experienced by individual banks would certainly be less serious now than at a more advanced stage of business recovery.

The alternative method of reducing excess reserves, recommended by the Federal Advisory Council, calls for a gradual reduction in Government securities held by the Federal Reserve Banks. That could be achieved by outright sales or by permitting short-term Government issues to "run off" without replacement. In either case, payment for outstanding or newly-issued Government obligations would have to be made by checking against member-bank deposits, with the result of drawing down excess reserves. This method of credit control is virtually certain to encounter determined Treasury resistance so long as the Federal budget remains unbalanced.

In answer to the objection that the reduction of excess reserves would have a deflationary effect and check a nascent business recovery, it should be noted that a huge volume of excess reserves might be wiped out without in the least hampering a subsequent credit expansion more than adequate to satisfy all legitimate demands. An anticipated heavy drop of $600,000,000 in excess reserves this week is attributed to payments to the Treasury for new securities and to holiday disbursements. This reduction is obviously temporary.

During the past two years, gold to the value of $2,600,000,000 has entered the country and has been responsible for the rapid rise in surplus reserves. The country might lose a huge amount of this gold without being faced by the necessity of lowering previously raised reserve requirements, as S. Gilbert Parker fears might be the case. Meantime, we certainly would be most unwise to make imported gold, subject to sudden withdrawals, the basis for a domestic credit expansion.

It is unquestionably true, as Mr. Gilbert asserts, that one of the first steps required to protect the country against the danger of inflation is a reduction of Government spending. Even with a balanced budget, however, the deficits already incurred, dollar devaluation, silver buying, and huge gold imports are seen to have built up an abnormally large volume of bank deposits and excess reserves, constituting a continuing threat to financial stability.

Adequate protection against the twin menaces of deficit financing and superabundant credit resources requires a combination of fiscal reform and credit control. And the sooner a beginning is made in these fields, the better will be the chances of successful accomplishment.

The Failure Of Co-ordination.

Frank C. Walker's resignation marks the failure of another major effort to co-ordinate conflicting policies and overlapping agencies of the New Deal. Twice Mr. Walker was drafted for this thankless task. That he made little headway in both instances is due more to the impossible nature of the job assigned him than to any lack of energy and devotion on his part.

Organization of the National Emergency Council, of which Mr. Walker has been executive director, was tacit admission of the urgent need for co-ordination of the Administration's diverse recovery efforts. But that agency began to function after the major policies had already taken shape. The alternative was to seek superficial adjustments or to recommend sweeping changes that would have delayed the pell-mell rush toward undefined objectives. It chose the former course, and consequently was soon lost to sight among the multiplicity of alphabetical agencies, each with a publicity bureau trumpeting its own course without regard for teamwork or consistency.

The fate of the National Emergency Council is left uncertain. But there is little hope that it will become a major influence in the Administration set-up. Retroactive co-ordination is a slow and painful process to which few of the President's chief lieutenants show disposition to submit. Moreover, there seems to be no clear idea within the Administration as to how various conflicting policies, such as those found in the Government's housing activities, should be resolved.

Until the basic principles on which the New Deal rests can be more closely integrated, any co-ordinating agency will be so in name alone.

Belated Relief Budgeting.

In theory a significant change of policy will be effected in the new public works bill which the President intends to submit to Congress. Heretofore, the President has merely asked for enormous lump sums to be spent at Executive discretion, while remaining very secretive about the actual projects to be carried out. Now he is willing to let Congress pass upon the advisability of specific projects before they are launched.

For the immediate future, however, this apparent deference to the judgment of Congress may be of little importance. Mr. Roosevelt indicates that the bill will authorize expenditure of less than $500,000,000. Most of that sum will be needed to complete undertakings already begun, many of which have had only blanket approval by Congress. For example, the Legislature has never passed upon the merits of the Passamaquoddy tide-harnessing scheme, but the work has begun under a $5,000,000 allotment from the work relief fund. Presumably Congress will have to appropriate the balance (at least $25,000,000) to complete an economically unsound project, or else sanction the waste of funds already spent.

The alternatives open to Congress in a number of other cases are almost equally dismal. Large sums are being spent on reclamation projects in the Far West, some of which lack any direct legislative approval. While the AAA is hiring land from farmers to let it lie idle, other governmental agencies are bringing barren land under cultivation at heavy costs. Paradoxes of this sort are inevitable when large sums are put into the hands of Federal bureaus with no co-ordinated legislative policy to guide them.

Of course, the hit-or-miss management of the public works program cannot be corrected merely by bringing projects already under way into the budgetary system. But the reform announced by the President does arouse hope that a return to the basic principles of parliamentary government is contemplated. This is the more likely because Mr. Roosevelt has found the distribution of work relief funds such a thankless job.

With Secretary Ickes and WPA Administrator Hopkins wrangling over policies, and politicians of every stripe demanding special consideration for their respective districts, the spending of $4,000,000,000 of borrowed money is proving far less attractive in practice than it appeared in promise. Now the President has also discovered that the relief rolls are declining more slowly than was expected after inauguration of the WPA. With this further indication that the relief problem will be a permanent one, outlays for that purpose can not be too quickly subjected to budgetary scrutiny.

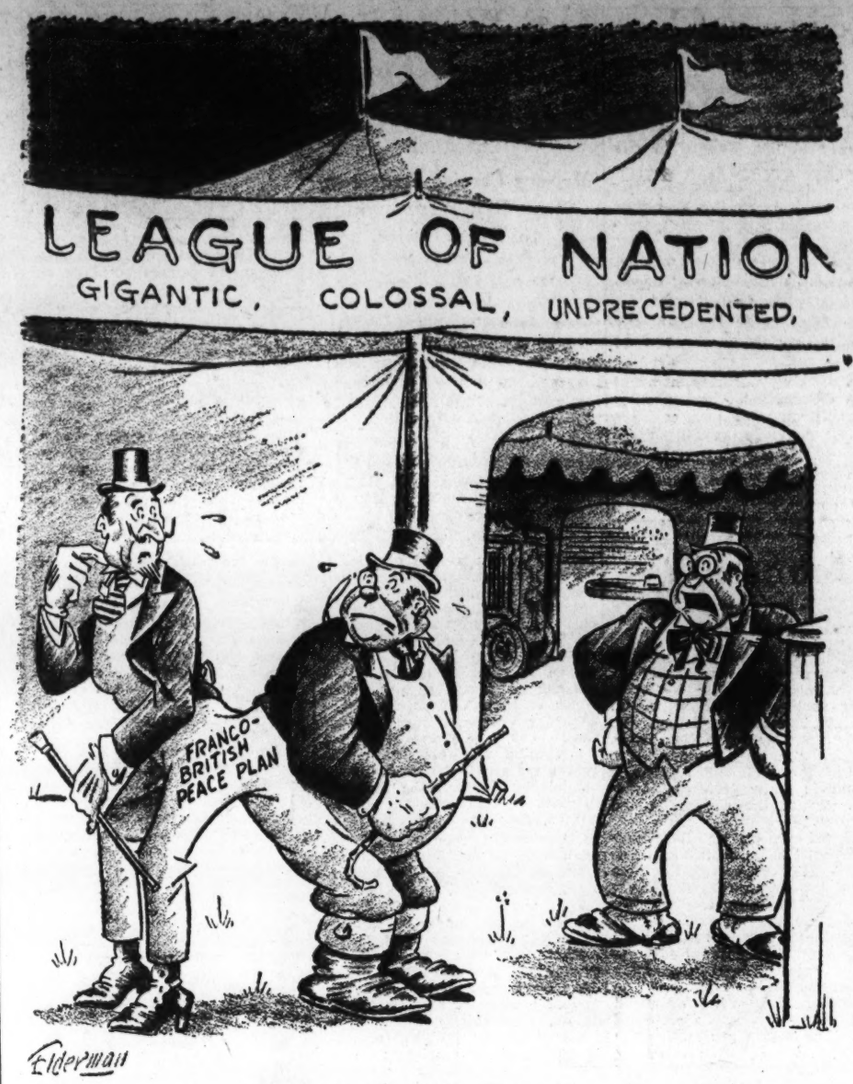
Calvert Street Bridge.

In 1791, in the Georgetown Weekly Ledger, there appeared a notice: "Major Longfont, a French gentleman employed by the President of the United States, is to survey the lands contiguous to Georgetown where the Federal city is to be built." Apparently, in his surveys, the major whose name was thus maltreated, overlooked a little body of water then known as Rock "Crick." That is, however, no reflection on him, since Rock Creek, while a very decorative and poetic-looking stream, certainly does not loom as a formidable torrent. Yet the District of Columbia now finds it necessary to span this bubbling brook with no less than 16 bridges, totaling a cost of many millions of dollars!

Last night marked the official opening of the Calvert Street Bridge, another majestic reminder of the extent to which "little drops of water" can affect a city's planning. Towering 130 feet and boasting three 146-foot arches, it forms a striking contrast to the first bridge built across Rock Creek although, at the time, even that wooden structure was advertised as "a building of some consequence."

As much water has seethed about this new bridge, figuratively speaking, as will run under it for a long time, in the literal sense. There have been controversies over its design, its cost, over whether it was to be of steel or masonry, and as to the number of its arches. Apparently all this was happily forgotten as the traditional white ribbon was cut and the first official cars rolled across both sides of the viaduct that is now beginning its long term of service to the community. Washingtonians have just cause for pride in the Calvert Street Bridge, a "thing of beauty" as well as usefulness.

The University of Nebraska has issued a pamphlet explaining the A B C's of taxation. We're already acquainted with the H of it.



This Ain't The Side Show, Scram!

Sample Reactions In A Neutral Capital

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: As "Gen. Winter" defeated Napoleon in the Moscow campaign, so "Gen. Rains" threatens the defeat of Mussolini's armies in Ethiopia. Not far from February 1 the heavy downpours of the wet season will begin and continue in daily torrents for months on end.

Even were the Italian troops able to get through and establish themselves on the main plateau to the south, it would be impossible to supply them with food and munitions. Nor could the airplanes negotiate the passage of the mountains during the rainy season with any prospect of escaping heavy losses.

It may be further noted that to date practically all of the soldiery used by the Italians in their painful advance has been of native troops. Something must be happening in the rear that has held over 200,000 Italian infantry back in the pestilential lowlands and not actively participating in the fighting front of the campaign. News is carefully bottled up, but there are vague rumors of extensive prostrating illnesses among these troops and a general condition of despondency which breast-beating fulminations from Rome do not remove. There are even hushed-up rumors of threatened mutiny.

It is not necessary to refer to the effects of sanctions already in operation or to the requirement of gold to make cash transactions for everything. The financial outlook is becoming desperate.

HERBERT JANVRIN BROWNE.
Washington, Dec. 18.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: We lookers-on in this land of peace and plenty are becoming pharisaical in our prayers and thanking the good God that we are not publicans and sinners, i. e., foreigners; for the situation abroad both Oriental and Occidental is growing increasingly ominous.

At this writing Egypt is demanding home rule of England and getting it! Japan is wanting naval parity with England and may get it! Britain's foreign minister, Hoare, and Laval, bluffed or scared into making Il Duce too liberal a compromise offer, had it rejected.

It looks like open season on our neighboring ally and cousin, Great Britain. Small wonder she's scared. Who isn't? Barring the League's prompt enforcement of oil sanctions, Mussolini will, within a very few moons have all of Ethiopia he considers worth the blood-spilling to acquire.

Had the League called Mussolini's hand and applied both economic and military sanctions three months ago, this modern "slaughter of the innocents" would have been averted. His bluff would have been easier called then than now.

GEORGE E. GARY.
Rome, Ga., Dec. 13.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: It has occurred to me that the following excerpt from a letter just arrived from Rome might be of interest to your readers. The writer of the letter is an American who has resided for more than 20 years in Rome.

"The affairs of Europe at present are in a sad mess. I am sure you are feeling a great interest in all that concerns this dear country and I hope that there, people are not being so blinded to British propaganda as not to see Italy's 'ragioni.'

"One is sorry to see the English-Italian friendship broken in this way. Italy will not forget nor forgive this. No one seems to think the sanctions will stop the war and they will only upset economic conditions in many countries and throw many people out of work. In time, people will come to see England's game and all that is behind it and recognize Italy's good reasons.

"I am with the Italians heart and soul. Of course, much of the opposition comes from anti-Fascists, Masons, etc., even bolshevists and communists. It is so narrow not to see how much good this regime has brought to Italy. I wish you might come and see for yourself. Now they are a united, hard-working, disciplined people, ready for any sacrifice and led by a very great man to whom they are devoted. Because he is called a dictator should not blind people to what he has done for his country. I personally admire him tremendously as do almost all the foreigners here with whom I have talked. I must close with this sheet; we are asked to economize paper."

ISABELLE STONE.
Washington, Dec. 16.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I read in a local paper on Friday, December 13, an article headed "Use of American Voters by a Foreign Government," signed by Ignatius Geraci, and I am appealing to your columns in order to present to the public the truth.

Cleverly camouflaged, people that disagree with the political government and party now at the helm in Italy, are trying their utmost to disseminate propaganda which is intended to create an unfavorable opinion of the Italian cause. We, the Italo-Americans, are not concerned with the Italian venture in Africa, but feel that a miscarriage of truth should not be fed through the public press to those who have a limited knowledge of what is taking place among the American citizens of Italian birth in this country.

We are proud of our citizenship and abide by the laws of this great republic. Congress has passed a neutrality act and we are abiding by it.

Ignatius referred to Mr. Simond's article, which he misunderstood, and goes on to say that "Fascist meetings are taking place in New York and in Washington to protest against the American neutrality and to raise money." That is a perversion of the truth.

Meetings are being held everywhere in this country not to protest the American policy, but to raise funds so as to enable the Red Cross to carry on its humanitarian work. Again the Italo-American comes to the aid of humanity as it did in the days of George Washington, when Francesco Vigo, an Italian merchant beloved by Americans and Italians alike, contributed heavily to Washington's campaign and thereby enabling the Father of His Country to carry out his humanitarian endeavors. In time of need, the Italo-American has responded to all humanitarian causes regardless of race, creed or political affiliations. We have the highest regard for President Roosevelt and respect his declaration of neutrality.

LUCIO R. BARONELLO.
Washington, Dec. 15.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: The League of Nations was founded, among others, for two general political purposes, namely, the substitution of collective action by many states in lieu of the balance of power practice and the establishment of an international clearing house, if not eventually a parliament, for handling international affairs, treaties, agreements, and reckoning with those violations coming under its supervision.

It is not an international government, but a collection of independent states using it for specifically agreed upon and limited aims and functions.

The two general purposes of the League in this war-ridden and nationalistic day are most praiseworthy. They dissolve into one principle: the practical, peaceful co-operation, if not growing political union, of the members of mankind; a principle upheld and extolled by nearly all of the great thinkers, teachers, and philosophers.

Where do these general considerations lead us with reference to the League, Italy, and Ethiopia? Theoretically the principles of the League are highly desirable. But practically the League has two cardinal weaknesses. It is the practical creation of and dominated by the victors in the World War and these victors are presumably bound to maintain the boundary provisions of the Treaty of Versailles. This leaves the laudable principles upon which the League is founded in a precarious condition.

If Italy is awarded one square inch of Ethiopian territory by the League Council, then that Council will have most flagrantly violated the cardinal League principle of collective action against an aggressor member and treacherously betrayed the mandate of the other 50 member states of the League which condemned Italy as the aggressor.

The League in condemning Italy set a historical precedent. But if the League had immediately and effectively applied sanctions its action would have marked the beginning of a new era in international affairs.

AMBROSE JULIAN FAHY.
Washington, Dec. 18.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: For the United States to proclaim itself neutral, refuse to furnish the belligerents arms and ammunition—knowing that the Italians have an abundance of both, while the Ethiopians practically have none of either, and then to feed and clothe Mussolini's army for him, and furnish oil for his tanks and planes, creates a painful sense of insincerity.

Italy has violated her treaty with the United States. Except for a mild note calling attention to the treaty, and reflecting as much on Ethiopia, the innocent, as Italy, the guilty, we do nothing but put into practice this new brand of neutrality above set forth! The United States with her great influence should as quickly as possible actively support every sanction of the League. We do not have to join the League. It is absurd to talk of this getting us into war. Mussolini may bluff, but he will never attack the United States and 52 other nations.

Shall the United States permit its own citizens to stultify it by helping Mussolini; will it tolerate a few, who are money mad and blood thirsty, ready and anxious to coin the flesh and blood of innocent men, women and children into money to stuff into their well-filled pockets? If it does, it stands for war and for the destruction of the most notable humanitarian effort ever put forth for the peace of the world.

SAMUEL B. WOODS.
Charlottesville, Va., Dec. 17.

To the Editor of the Post—Sir: The Department of State being flooded with protests from residents here of Italian birth against the efforts of this country to maintain a bona fide neutrality in the Italo-Ethiopian contest. These guests, many of whom have sworn to uphold this country and its laws, are, notwithstanding, raising considerable sums of money for the depleted Mussolini war chest, and are also arranging mass meetings for the purpose of protesting against the American program and of raising funds.

Free speech is one thing, and divided allegiance is quite another.

HARLAN E. GLAZIER.
Washington, Dec. 16.

The Post Impressionist

A Bark For Baggagemen

Post Office, Friday.

WE print it as it came, except that we ease your eyes, and our space, by those stars of hope in the skies of every columnist—the asterisks.

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Dear Post-Impressionist:

My folks read your pieces out loud, and I lie still and listen. It's a nice Column, but it's all about people. I take pen in paw for a word about my kind—dogs.

I'm a collie and can boast the bluest of blood of Mr. Terhune's "Laddie." Still, under-dog or upper, I'm for all breeds and mixtures. So what I mean to speak about is canine travel. Dogs must travel, or be left behind, and, as some Americans are anti-dog, we're supposed to travel in parts of the trains where there aren't any passengers—especially baggage-cars: all of us whose owners don't own autos.

Well, most dog-owners, and nearly all dogs, regard dog-travel as a hardship. Whereas I want to tell the other side of the story.

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When I was two months old—just able to lap milk—I was crated and sent away from my mother at Mr. Bohannon's place in Bedford, Va., clear to Trenton, N. J. I had to be changed at Washington. All along the route, I had to lie in my box in stations with strange lights and have trunks thumped around me and hear strange people asking. "What is it—a fox?" I was scared—but I wasn't hurt.

Then, soon as I got used to Trenton and a motherly wire-haired named Skippy that I thought was my aunt, on I went with the folks I now know are mine, to Sebasco, Me., with the loveliest-smelling woods you ever sniffed. On that trip my people hid me in a pasteboard box on their laps. Every time I tried to growl—of course, I couldn't *really* growl yet—a hand came into the box and grabbed my nose. But all the conductor said was: "What I don't know don't hurt me."

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Since then I've made the trip between Maine and Virginia three times. And I've made it in a baggage car and part of it in a de luxe train that doesn't have a baggage car—and a car of my own.

So I guess I do know what I'm talking about.

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I admit it's nervous work, train travel. Even yet I don't like the jolts and queer noises and unfamiliar smells. Still, I contend the difficulties aren't the trainmen's fault, but just something that can't be avoided and can be eased. Mostly, the trainmen give you water when they see your tongue's dry. Often, on a long journey, they'll walk you around at the stations.

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Mr. Post-Impressionist, I want you to say this to my fellow dog-travelers:

Put yourselves in the trainmen's place. We dogs don't misunderstand English, French, Latin or Greek—one word-language is almost the same as another to us—but we understand gestures and tones of voice better; we understand friendliness. Therefore, we ought to realize that the trainmen, on their side, don't understand dog-language, but are on the lookout for friendliness in spite of that.

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"Aren't you scared of strange dogs?" I heard one of my family ask a baggageman.

And I heard the baggageman laugh: "Naw! While they sweat the way they do when they're nervous and can't make out what it's all about, I jes' let 'em alone. But as soon as they quiet, I make friends. No dog I ever hauled ever bit me, and I've baggaged a good many hundred. Never lost a single one, neither."

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Take a tip, dogs, from my last trip South.

For my sake, the folks wanted to get to Washington in a single day, so we had to catch the Yankee Flyer from Portland to Boston. Well, the man in blue at Portland said that train was too grand to carry a baggage-car, so there wasn't any place for me. And what did I do? I just sat up and gave him my paw.

That's what I gave him—and *he* gave *me* space in the train's oil-burner heater-room. The colored cook and his waiters hovered 'round me and told me how beautiful I was. Even if I did refuse their chicken-bones—because chicken-bones stick in your throat—I had a special reservation on a very special streamlined train: all because I was friendly.

Nor was that the end of it. On the Senator train we changed to at Boston, the baggageman groaned when he saw me, because his car was jammed with teetering trunks. But again I offered a handshake—and right off he remembered the whole car in front of his wasn't being used then. A little politeness got me an entire private car to myself as far as New Haven.

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No, Mr. Post-Impressionist and Fellow Dogs: The popular idea is all damp—canine train-travel is risky only when the canines are unduly suspicious or badly brought up. Trainmen, in general, baggagemen in particular, are every bit as human as we are dogan.

I lift my paw in salute to them for the way they try to make it easy for the mutt in the car.

SIRIUS.

Fair Enough

By Westbrook Pegler

Dictators And The Press.

Rome, Dec. 19.

WE MAY seem to be indulging in too much newspaper shop talk in these somewhat restrained compositions out of Rome, but the press, under strict government control, is a weapon of state, and we have here the model which would be copied in a general way if a dictator ever should take control of the United States.

Of course, we had a form of dictatorship during the war to end war, and American papers, having created war-like public opinion, suddenly found themselves afraid to talk back to it. But the war was soon over, and they were glad to get back their freedom.

Looking over the career of Huey Long now, I suspect he made a serious mistake in attempting to bulldoze American reporters with insulting remarks in his public addresses and with strong-arm attacks on individuals by his bodyguards. While Huey was at it in Louisiana he probably would have done better for himself and his ambition if he had assumed the pose of friend and protector of the journeyman press and passed some laws through his Legislature at Baton Rouge to give newspapermen double pay, to compel owners to give them, say, one month's vacation with pay every year and a bonus of several months' pay on being fired.

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THE only reporter Huey ever befriended, however, was a sort of political contact man with no standing in the newspaper business, who was entered on the State pay roll at a salary bigger than his newspaper could pay. The public duties which he perfomed for this salary were nominal, if not entirely mythical, and the general run of newspaper men looked on his case with disapproval.

But if Huey had done in Louisiana as Mussolini has done in Italy he would have reached th' self-interest of the craft, and it would not have taken a majority of newspaper men long to convince themselves they were honestly loyal to the great leader and that everything he did was for the good of the State and eventually of the Nation.

Even in Italy journalists and publishers were not won over unanimously. Some held out a while and were reconstructed under pressure, and others ain't reconstructed yit, as the old Georgia folk song goes. But those who ain't reconstructed yit are out of luck now, and the Italian press is for Mussolini and his regime without a dissenting syllable.

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IT may be said that Huey could not have done this in Louisiana under the American Constitution, but to say that off-handedly is to overlook some other miracles which Huey performed without exceeding the Constitution. As for the use of public funds to subsidize the press, it should be kept in mind that long ago Huey had passed a law which made it unnecessary for him to account to anybody for public funds. He merely reported that his dictatorship had received so much and spent it all. He didn't have to say what it was spent for, so it could have been given to newspaper publishers to reimburse them for increased cost of salaries and bonuses to their help and also give them a profit. Huey overlooked a possibility there.

Mussolini doesn't go into petty details, either. When the press is a weapon of state, it's subject to the same sort of discipline and pressure that governs the army and the navy, and everything the papers do under orders becomes automatically right and patriotic. The army and the navy may sometimes be used on tasks which individual members of the services believe to be morally wrong, but it's treason to refuse duty on such grounds. Similarly, a man on a paper might be required to write a story contrary to his views and excuse himself to his conscience on the ground that it is not his to reason why. Such cases are not rare in America even now.

The Italian press has been a weapon of state so long now that Italians, even in official ranks who have had experience in the United States find it hard to understand why American papers are allowed to denounce Italy's Abyssinian war as the wanton invasion of a sovereign country. They connot cure their minds of the thought that these expressions must represent the view of the American Government. Otherwise why doesn't the Government make them shut up?

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NOW, if Italian papers were suddenly to tear into the United States and give us a daily lecturing on some particular issue, you would know at once that the Italian government was sore about it and was using the press as a weapon of state to warn us of Il Duce's disapproval and his reasons for doing so. It's a method of expressing official views in an unofficial way much more freely than they could be expressed in irrevocable official correspondence which goes into the archives to stay. Papers go into the ash can and are forgotten. When the press is a weapon of state, even comic strips and crossword puzzles and sporting news, fashion news and advertisements are enrolled into service, and the result after a while is that the people, seeing nothing to remind them that there might be another side to the question, become almost all of one mind behind the dictator. Some dictators take over the prses by force. Mussolini, however, used bait and used it so generously that very little effort was required.

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Calles Comes Home

Return Of Ex-President To Mexico Prompts Cardenas To Weed Out Sympathizers From Official Family at Chapultepec.

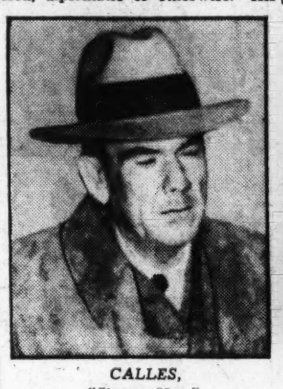
By W. L. Schurz.

Special Correspondence of The Post.

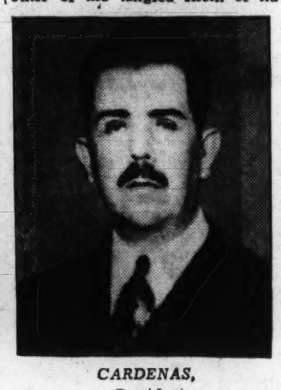
THE disposition of former presidents is one of the major problems of Latin American politics. If the retiring chief executive is not of the stuff of which dictators are made the problem is greatly simplified. A dignified retirement within the country is then acceptable to the new regime in the palace.

But if the outgoing president has been of the masterful type which relishes the exercise of power his continued presence within the borders may be highly embarrassing to his successor. During his term of office he may have built up a personal machine, dependent on him for favors, which objects to relinquishing its privileged position. Left leaderless, its capacity for mischief can be controlled; with its chieftain at hand it may constitute a chronic threat to the new government.

The usual formula on such occasions is for the former president to be sent to Europe on some mission, diplomatic or otherwise. His



CALLES, "Strong Man."



CARDENAS, President.

followers see him off at the dock and the administration breathes easier for his going. The government of Colombia, long one of the most orderly of Latin American republics, generally commissions the former president as ambassador to the Holy See. The duties of the post are not onerous, and the Eternal City offers unlimited opportunities for contemplation on the ephemeral satisfactions of political ambition. Sometimes, as a graceful gesture of good will to his successor, the retiring president voluntarily retires from the country for a season or two in Paris.

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SO with Gen. Plutarco Elias Calles, of Mexico, though Calles went to Honolulu instead of Paris. The "strong man" of Mexican politics left his country in June and by August was in Hawaii. On September 14 he announced that he had definitely retired from political life and that he desired nothing better than a placid retirement on his ranch in Sinaloa. Eleven days later President Lazaro Cardenas issued a statement to the effect that his government had no objection to Calles' return to Mexico, and added that the former president's absence from the country was not to be construed as exile.

Calles did return on December 13, not to his hacienda in the north, but to his home in the Federal District, where he is disquietingly near to Chapultepec Palace.

In view of the circumstances of Mexican politics and of the "strong man's" antecedents, it would have been difficult for Calles to slip into Mexico City without causing considerable commotion. It was different with Adolfo de la Huerta, who recently came home from a long stay in Los Angeles, for whatever faction de la Huerta once headed had dissolved in the course of years.

Though previous presidents had been accused of taking their orders from Calles, so much could not be said of Cardenas. For this young executive has tried deliberately and systematically to break down the vestiges of Calles' influence in the country, and Calles had as frankly disapproved some of the basic policies of Cardenas.

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FOR several months there has been unusual uneasiness in Mexico. There have been no major outbreaks, but sporadic cases of violence involving one issue or other of the tangled skein of national politics. In a few of the states there have developed some of the inevitable foci of discontent with federal authority that have troubled so many administrations.

If Calles contemplated a coup the waters appeared muddy enough for his fishing. Yet a man so accustomed to the exercise of arbitrary power is liable to underestimate the strength of his rival, especially when judged from the misleading perspective of distance. This the normally shrewd Calles has apparently done.

So when Cardenas promptly ousts five federal senators and five state governors of questionable loyalty his bold stroke must have a familiar ring to the homecoming Calles. By removing these key supporters of the former president he has materially reduced Calles' potentiality for trouble and eased a tense situation. By shelving several generals formerly associated with Calles, including Joaquin Amaro, the inscrutable old Indian who was formerly chief of the general staff, Cardenas has also fortified himself against possible revolt in the army. Other malcontents may have evaded his precautions, but the president has at least taken all reasonable measures to preserve public order.

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AND wherever individual sympathies may be in the struggle between personalities and policies for control in Mexico, no reasonable American can wish for the return of the disorders which bedeviled the neighboring republic for so long. Mexico has made gratifying progress toward political stability since the turbulent days of Carranza and Villa. She has the right to work out her own destiny in her own way, and we can only hope that the way will continue to be one of peace.

Lina Basquette Gets Divorce From Hayes

Los Angeles, Dec. 19 (AP).—Lina Basquette, dancer and actress, won a divorce today from Theodore Hayes, former trainer of Jack Dempsey. Hayes, she testified, threatened her and once became so angry that she fled her home with her sister and 4-month-old baby.

Judge Harry R. Archbald was informed a settlement was effected out of court, with Hayes paying one-fourth of his income to support their son, now 20 months old. They couple married October 19, 1931.

Another Townsendite Enters Michigan Race

Iron Mountain, Mich., Dec. 19 (AP). Another Republican advocate of the Townsend old-age-pension plan stepped into the Michigan picture today in the wake of Verner W. Main's victory Tuesday in the Third District's special Congressional election.

Walter A. Henze, former mayor here and a former State legislator, said he would seek the Republican nomination for Congress in the Twelfth District next year as a proponent of the plan for $200-a-month pensions for citizens over 60 years of age.

Don't Mention It.

By Ed Reed

"Don't be alarmed! My coat was made from a trained seal."

No End Of Books

By Theodore Hall

Modern Poetry.

IN "This Modern Poetry" (Norton, $2.75), Babette Deutsch has traced a clear and all-surveying path through the varied landscape of recent verse. "Varied" is a pretty small word, though. Take, as example, the beginnings of two dirges or laments. At one end of the field is the familiar Housman:

"With rue my heart is laden
For golden friends I had,
For many a rose-lipt maiden
And many a lightfoot lad."

And way down at the other corner is Kenneth Fearing, starting his vehement and satiric "Dirge" for a nonentity thus:

"And wow he died as wow he lived,
going whop to the office and blooie home to sleep and biff got married
and bam had children and off got fired,
zowie did he live and zowie did he die . . .
Very much missed by the circulation staff of the New York Evening Post;
deeply, deeply mourned by the B. M. T."

If the contrast is a little too startling here, be assured that the author no casual poet herself, has drawn the line which connects them.

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IMAGISTS, symbolists, metaphysicians, traditionalists, experimentalists, all "—ists" and "—isms" and cults of poetry come under her fine and understanding eye. We find precisely what Hopkins and Hardy, Yeats, Pound and Eliot stand for, what they bequeathed their poetical descendants. If for the most part the author writes quietly, she is not without her sharp moments, as when she says: "At the opposite pole from Joyce stands Gertrude Stein" (most people need to be told this T. H.) "who has made a stupendous exhibition—which has taken in a number of otherwise discerning folk—of tenderly unbuttoning herself, but whose fingers are cramped by early addiction to the ouija board."

With constant quotation and much good sense, Babette Deutsch has provided a sure guide for all readers who find themselves baffled by modern verse.

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IT is drug store book counter jargon to say that what sold for $5 now sells for 95 cents. But A. Edward Newton, in his new introduction for "The Amenities of Book Collecting," now in a modern library edition, is pleased to mention the fact, and he adds that he used to get more in royalties than this present edition will sell for. Book collectors, it can't help but be noted, are always talking about money.

Another recent modern library volume is Edna Ferber's "Show Boat" (95 cents), which in book, play, musical comedy, radio feature and movie has had as many metamorphoses as a wealthy spinster with a belief in the transmigration of souls. Jerome Kern, the composer, has written a chipper little foreword, in which he points out the odd fact that the writing of this book so intoxicated Miss Ferber that she got her chronology somewhat askew—by all computation Capt. Andy, owner of the show boat and father of Magnolia, the heroine, must have been six years old when she was born!

Silver Purchase Plan Explained By Morgenthau

Secretary Indicates Sharp Watch Kept to Maintain Commodity Prices.

By the Associated Press.

Confining Treasury silver purchases virtually to the output of Latin-American mines, Secretary Morgenthau yesterday indicated a sharp watch lest the ensuing chaos in the world silver market adversely affect domestic commodity prices.

"Is the Treasury taking into consideration the effect of the recent slump in silver prices on the stock market here?" he was asked at a press conference.

"Take a look at commodity prices in the last ten days and answer your own question," he replied, smiling. "The facts are there. I am watching and interpreting them. Now I draw your attention to them."

Examination revealed that in the ten days since silver prices plunged downward due to the withdrawal of the Treasury from principal world silver markets, commodity prices have fluctuated within a narrow range, showing for the whole period only a minute drop.

Minute Price Drop.

The Treasury has bought all the silver produced in Mexico this year, Morgenthau said. Large quantities have been acquired from other Central and South American countries, all in direct transactions with their governments.

The Secretary's statement, however, failed to alleviate confusion in New York and London silver markets where prices fell again, for lack of buyers, while on the stock exchange the shares of companies with interests in Mexico rose $1 to $3.

Still seeking the inner purpose and eventual result of the Treasury's present policy, some traders suggested Morgenthau was avoiding the London market because of the Chinese and Indian silver hoards recently dumped for sale there.

Thomas Defends Program.

The congressional silver bloc, quiet throughout the confusion of the last ten days, began stirring yesterday with an announcement from Senator Thomas (Democrat), Oklahoma, that he would call a meeting at the earliest opportunity for consideration of recent developments.

"The Administration's silver policy is being attacked by foreign and domestic reactionary influences, through a concentrated drive to force down the price of silver with the intent to discredit and terminate such program," Thomas said.

For the year, thus far, Morgenthau said that Mexico's production amounted to some 72,000,000 ounces of the metal, all bought at prevailing New York prices. In addition the Treasury has bought all domestic production—about 40,000,000 ounces.

The Mexican silver, he said, was paid for by check on the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, recalling that in one instance there was an outright swap of gold for Mexican silver.

Blast Damages Building Where Wagner Resides

New York, Dec. 19 (AP).—An explosion of an oil-filled electric transformer tonight ripped a hole about 4 feet wide in the wall of the apartment building in which United States Senator Robert F. Wagner lives. No one was injured.

Senator Wagner was not at home.

The explosion occurred in the basement of the Lexington avenue office of the New York Telephone Co., next door to the apartment building. Two large plate glass windows were shattered.

Campaign Fund Gets $45 a Plate On Jackson Day

Secretary Morgan Says $5 Each Will Cover Party's Dinner.

W. Forbes Morgan, secretary of the Democratic national committee, made it plain yesterday that persons paying $50 apiece for tickets to the Jackson Day dinner at the Mayflower January 8 should not expect a $50 meal.

The dinner, where President Roosevelt will be present, will mark the formal opening of the Democratic campaign.

"I want it understood," Morgan said, "that the Jackson Day dinners throughout the country are far more than just dinners or political rallies. They are fundamentally a contribution to the Democratic Party.

$45 for Party Chest.

"For our dinner at the Mayflower we are charging $50 a plate. Of that amount $5 per person will be used to defray the cost of the dinner. The balance, namely $45, will be turned directly over to the Democratic national committee and, together with the money received from other dinners throughout the country, will furnish the party with ammunition for the forthcoming Presidential campaign."

Morgan said early reports indicated that not less than 80,000 persons will attend the dinners throughout the country. He said several other cities are following the example of Washington by collecting $25 and upward per plate.

From Kansas City, the Associated Press reported George B. Freeman, charter member of the Young Democrats of America, as saying that the question of party loyalty was not involved in the decision against participation in a $10-a-plate dinner there.

Cannot Afford $10.

"It is merely the fact that the young people here cannot afford the $10," he said. "The clubs will meet that night and listen to the President's address, but a dinner probably will not be held."

Another indication that the campaign is about to get under way came from Secretary Ickes, who announced that Oscar L. Chapman, Assistant Secretary of the Interior, had been given an indefinite leave of absence.

Chapman will return to Colorado, his home State, to participate in the Democratic campaign, particularly in behalf of Senator Costigan, who will seek re-election. Chapman denied he would seek any office for himself.

The Assistant Secretary said he thought he would return to his duties here after the campaign, but that this was not definite.

Recovery Council Called for Jan. 6

George L. Berry, co-ordinator for industrial co-operation, announced yesterday the first meeting of his industry-labor council, an outgrowth of his recent industrial conference, would be held January 6. He made the announcement after a conference with President Roosevelt.

Berry said he expected several representatives of industry, in addition to those named in the recent conference, would be added to his council. He indicated, however, that the automobile, steel and textile industries had not indicated their desire to be represented, but added that they would be welcome.

"We are not closing the door to those who declined to participate in the conference," he said. "We would be glad to have their views."

Ohio Governor Signs Bill to Aid 19 Counties

Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 19 (AP).—Emergency relief for 19 counties became available tonight when Gov. Davey signed a $1,500,000 general fund appropriation which the Legislature had voted in a fast-moving afternoon session.

The money, to be used until a permanent relief program is adopted, may be distributed immediately. The Legislature also completed today enactment of the old-age pension conformity bill, the "use" tax bill and a beer stamp tax bill, making all ready for the Governor.

Bridal Couple's Death In Fire Called Murder

Phoenix, Ariz., Dec. 19 (AP).—The deaths of a bride and bridegroom, at first thought accidental, were moved into the slaying category today by officers as they questioned five men.

Sheriff Hugh Talley said evidence indicated Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Calderson were killed and their home near Safford set afire, perhaps by a rejected lover of the 21-year-old bride. The bodies were found Sunday. The sheriff came here to ascertain if blood stains found under Mrs. Calderon's head checked with stains on the clothing of one of the men held.

Vatican Denies Helping Il Duce Finance War

Vatican City, Dec. 19 (AP).—The Osservatore Romano, Vatican newspaper, blamed French communism and German nazlism today for reports that the church is financing Premier Mussolini's war in Africa.

It said "a union of extremes" has been achieved in this "common odium" for the church.

Charges that the Vatican directly contributed to the Fascist war chest and was using its exchange immunities for Mussolini's benefit were called "base and groundless."

The Once Over

By H. I. Phillips

To Fritz, Alaskan Husky.

(Called the greatest of all Alaskan huskies, Fritz led the team of seven dogs that won the last three All-Alaskan Sweepstakes, and, dying at the age of 17 years, was the last survivor of the famous Neuana to Nome antitoxin team. His body, stuffed, is now in a glass case in a New York sporting goods store.)

Fritz, I pause and look at you,
Feeling that it can't be true—
Star of many an Arctic race,
Now a stuffed dog in a case!

Once you were Alaska's pride,
King of huskies far and wide;
On you struggled, rarely stopping . . .
Now you're caught in Christmas shopping!

Back in nineteen twenty-five
You were very much alive;
On a world-famed husky team . . .
Fritz, it must be just a dream!

Then you raced the wastes to Nome,
Known your fame to ev'ry home;
You were Balto's teammate, then;
Now you're near the "Five and Ten!"

Rugged, speedy, smart and keen—
How you loved the Arctic sheen!
How you loved the wild outdoors!
How you must hate New York stores

Strong and gallant, brave and tough,
You liked life when it was rough . . .
Now you gaze out through the glass
Watching city people pass!

When the sweepstakes races came
You led seven huskies, game;
Thrice you won with greatest ease . . .
You deserve to rest in peace!

Hero of a mighty breed,
Always in the fight and lead . . .
Far away I hear the shouts . . .
Gosh, I'd love to let you out!

The True Test.

Our idea of a well informed man is the fellow who can answer the question "Engine number?" on his automobile registration blank without difficulty.

Add similes: as fumbling as a woman trying to get out the right change to pay the taxi driver.

The way money is being sprayed around by the Government these days, what's $200 a month for an old-age pension? Why not make it $2,000?

There's been a battle in Ethiopia and it must have taken both sides completely by surprise.

The new Roosevelt dollar is out, indicating a belief by Washington that by this time you must have spent the old one.

Insomnia.

When I can't sleep a wink
I just lie there and think;
But my thoughts are so boring
They soon have me snoring.

MERVIN L. LANE.

"Three Killed in Havana Street Battle."—headline. It beats anything how Florida gets all the breaks.

Five hundred convicts in Alabama have been allowed to go home for Christmas on their promise to return January 3. It is understood the warden believed that unless he did this some of the boys might lose their faith in a Santa Claus.

Ben S. Allen, former traveling companion of former President Hoover, says that Mr. Hoover is a natural wit and has always had a sprightly sense of humor. The cares of office weighed on him as President, but now, says Mr. Allen, he is like an athlete hitting his stride." What he has to guard against is winding up at the Cleveland convention as one of the end men.

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Arlington Is Set For Rum Store Opening Today

Fleet of Trucks Unloads State Liquors for Initial Sale.

ARLINGTON COUNTY BUREAU OF THE POST.
Tel. Clar. 509. Clarendon, Va.

Fully stocked, a State liquor store opens today at 10 a. m. at 3131 North Wilson boulevard, under control of the Alcohol Beverage Control Board.

Early yesterday four huge trucks rolled into Clarendon from Richmond and for several hours a crew of men was busy unloading more than 2,300 cases of liquor.

The usual county police stationed in Clarendon were in the vicinity and Sheriff Howard B. Fields likewise was an observer, but there was no congestion of traffic, nor many onlookers.

John H. Martin and R. K. Turner, of the Virginia Alcoholic Beverage Control Board, Richmond, will be in charge of the store until the staff of local men becomes familiar with the work, it was announced in Richmond last night.

Clarendon men to form the permanent staff will include Clarence Remington, Stanley T. Mortimer, Frederick Glass and Charles York. One of these four later will be named store manager and another assistant manager.

Miss Jane Carl, of Lyon Village, will be installed as honored queen of Job's Daughters, Bethel No. 1, of Clarendon, tonight at the meeting held in the Masonic Temple at Clarendon. The exercises will be conducted by the retiring queen, Bessie Hale.

Other officers to be installed are Virginia Skillman, senior princess; Dorothy Sellars, junior princess; Mildred Shepherd, guide; Polly Wetzel, marshal; Virginia Taylor, outer guard; Ann Meyers, inner guard; Judith Swift, junior custodian; Doris Miller, senior custodian; Eleanor Batschlett, first messenger; Shirley Puffer, second messenger; Beatrice Teller, third messenger; Audrey Kemp, fourth messenger; Grace Long, fifth messenger; Frances Brennan, librarian; Margaret Yost, musician; Elizabeth Maupin, recorder; Louise Steuart, treasurer and Ruth Arrington, chaplain.

Turning on of several hundred colored lights strung along Wilson boulevard from North Highland to North Irving streets, the business section of Clarendon last night was converted into a Santa Claus lane. In addition to the lights, Christmas trees were set in barrels along both sides of the boulevard and these, too, are trimmed with colored lights.

The decorations were made possible through the efforts of the Clarendon Business Men's Association. H. W. Beattie, chairman of the committee, supervised the placing of all lights and trees.

The Neighborhood Garden Club of Ballston announce the winners in the Christmas evergreen show held at the home of Mrs. E. B. Cunningham, Waycroft, as follows:

Large wreaths: Mrs. J. L. McKinnon, first; Mrs. H. C. Rothery, second, and Mrs. Claude O. Thomas, third. Small wreaths: Mrs. Frank L. Ball, first; Mrs. W. L. Strickler, second, and Mrs. A. W. Cathcart, third. Door sprays: Mrs. W. L. Strickler, first; Mrs. J. A. Thompson, second, and Miss Esther Cannon, third. Fireplace decorations: Mrs. Frank L. Ball, first, and Mrs. J. A. Thompson, second. Dinner table arrangements: Mrs. H. C. Rothery, first, and Mrs. J. L. McKinnon, second.

Window wreaths: Miss Ruth Cathcart, Baby Christmas trees: Mrs. J. A. Thompson, first; Mrs. E. B. Cunningham, second, and Mrs. Frank L. Ball, third. Small glass gardens: Mrs. Frank Rothery, first; Mrs. George E. McDorman, second and Mrs. Clifford Rothery, third. Large glass gardens: Mrs. Claude O. Thomas, first; Mrs. Hugh Marshall, second, and Mrs. Frank L. Ball, third. Dish gardens: Mrs. Frank L. Ball, first; Mrs. Clifford F. Rothery, second, and Miss Evelyn Cannon, third. Bubble bouquets: Mrs. Claude O. Thomas, first, and Miss Esther Cannon, second. Bird's Christmas tree: Miss Esther Cannon, first, and Mrs. J. A. Burgess, second.

Looting of 2 Alexandria Homes Confessed by Washington Man

Another Gives Self Up Admitting Sale of Partly Paid for Auto.

THE WASHINGTON POST BUREAU.
907 Prince St., Alexandria, Va.
Phone Alexandria 523.

The home of Nolan S. Roberts, 114 Stewart avenue, Alexandria, was entered yesterday between 7 a. m. and 4 p. m., while all of the family was away, and robbed of jewelry valued at $100. Immediately upon his return and finding the house broken into from the rear, Roberts notified the Alexandria police.

Shortly after the alarm a man giving the name of Steve Hoffman, of Washington, was picked up in Baltimore, and 11 pieces of jewelry found in his possession. The man stated he had entered two houses in Alexandria, but so far no report of the second robbery has been reported to the police.

Hoffman waived extradition and will be brought to this city today for a hearing.

A man giving the name of Wayne Johnson, 27 years old, of Montgomery, W. Va., walked into Alexandria police headquarters on Wednesday evening and stated he wanted to be locked up. When asked for an explanation he said that on October 23 last he had left his home in an automobile he had purchased from a local dealer, after paying only $100 of the purchase price of $300, and on November 11 had sold the car in Grand Rapids, Mich., for $75, and is ready to return and take his punishment. He is being held while the police are checking his story.

The First Baptist Church, Alexandria, has announced a special Christmas service Sunday, beginning with the 11 a. m. service and concluding with a white-gift service in the evening.

At the morning service a vested choir, under the direction of H. Grady Daniel, will render special music. The soloists will be Mrs. Frank Perry and Clarence Wells. The sermon will be by the pastor, the Rev. Pierce S. Ellis.

The evening service at 8 o'clock will be for the young people, with a pageant entitled "The Greatest Gift." The following is the cast of characters: Reading of the Scriptures, Miss Marian Sutton; Zorah, Doris Elliott; David, Earl Thomas; Ruth, Miss Pearl Hoover; Children of Bethlehem—Mary, Miss Pauline Bolton; Joseph, Julius West; the dream children—shepherds, Linwood Horsman, Edgar Thomas, D. F. Powell; Wise Men, Melvin Pitts, Herbert Remy and Edward West. The presentation of the pageant will be in candle light.

The white-gift service will follow the pageant. Members of the church societies are requested to bring gifts of foodstuffs, wrapped in white paper, for the poor of the city.

The Alexandria Woman's Club presented a program of Christmas music at the December meeting Wednesday in Gadsby's Tavern. Mrs. Walter DuBois Brookings presided and the program was under the direction of Mrs. Robert F. Gooding.

Those who participated in the program included Mrs. Gooding, Mrs. D. C. Book, Mrs. O. H. Kirk, Mrs. Stephen H. Field, Mrs. Harry B. Caton, Mrs. Pierce S. Ellis, Mrs. Joseph Hoefft.

A social hour followed the program in charge of Mrs. James A. Gooch, Mrs. Harvey Henshaw, Mrs. Elliott Hoffman, Mrs. Oscar Ryder and Mrs. Clarence Strader.

Allen A. Rosenberger, aged 54, died Wednesday night at his home, 120 Masonic View avenue, after an illness of six weeks. He was assistant superintendent of construction of the Virginia Public Service Co.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Clara K. Rosenberger, a son, Clyde K. Rosenberger, and a daughter, Miss Dorothy Allen Rosenberger; also a brother, George Rosenberger, and three sisters, Mrs. G. W. Wilson, Mrs. R. C. Bailey and Mrs. G. W. Pelton.

The funeral will be held at 1 p. m. tomorrow from the home, conducted by the Rev. Dr. William B. McIlwaine, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, and burial will be at Culpeper, Va., former home of the deceased.

Demonstration Set Against Gen. Calles

By the Associated Press.

Mexico City, Dec. 19.—Plutarco Elias Calles' statement, "they may assassinate me," tonght focused attention on a huge demonstration against the former president which Mexican labor leaders have called for Sunday.

Fifty thousand organized workers are scheduled to participate in the mass protest against Calles' return to the country from which he departed last spring because of what he termed President Lazaro Cardenas' "marathon of radicalism."

Bitter attacks on Calles by labor leaders organizing the demonstration, and the declaration of the newspaper La Prensa that "the government may be unable to give Calles guarantees" of safety, caused speculation and expectancy over Sunday's possible developments.

Daniels and Wife Quit Mexico for Holidays

Mexico City, Dec. 19 (U.P.).—United States Ambassador Josephus Daniels and Mrs. Daniels left by train tonight to spend the Christmas and New Year holidays at their home in Raleigh, N. C. They will travel via Laredo and Memphis.

The ambassador also will visit Washington to confer with State Department officials. He said he would return to Mexico "early in 1936."

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J. H. Cochran's Rites Are Held In Cumberland

Veteran Mail Carrier, 81, Was One of First to Serve in City.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Cumberland, Md., Dec. 19.—Funeral services were held this morning for James H. Cochran, 81, one of Cumberland's first letter carriers, who retired some years ago.

Cochran was once a towboy on the old Chesapeake & Ohio Canal, and later became a letter carrier. Twenty-five years ago he moved to Pittsburgh and was employed in a testing laboratory there.

He leaves the widow,, five sons, Charles E., Harry C., Reginal A. and Walter E. Cochran, all of Pittsburgh; Richard Cochran, this city, and one daughter, Mrs. William A. Coughenour, this city.

James E. Burke.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Culpeper, Va., Dec. 19.—James E. Burke, 92, one of five Confederate veterans of Culpeper County, died yesterday at Novum, the home of his daughter, Mrs. John B. Aylor.

Funeral services conducted by the Rev. Edwin D. Coleman, of the Primitive Baptist Church, with burial at the church cemetery.

He is survived by one daughter and five sons, H. E., J. O. and Roy C. Burke, of Culpeper, Thomas W. and J. Kemper Burke, of Baltimore.

Silas T. Rosser.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Luray, Va., Dec. 19.—Burial services were held yesterday in Green Hill Cemetery, Luray, for Silas T. Rosser, 78, who died Tuesday morning at his home in Luray.

He is survived by the following children: S. Frank Rosser, James B. Rosser and Otey Rosser, all of Luray, and Mrs. Gussie McFall, of Front Royal.

W. Henry Wagner.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Charles Town, W. Va., Dec. 19.—W. Henry Wagner, 68, a merchant here, died suddenly at his home here late yesterday evening. He had been in business here and Martinsburg for about 15 years.

Surviving are the widow, formerly Miss Mildred Kessler, and a son, W. H. Wagner, jr. Burial will take place here tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. Janie W. Gilkeson.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Martinsburg, W. Va., Dec. 19.—Funeral services for Mrs. Janie Watt White Gilkeson, 74, in the Moorefield Presbyterian Church Monday, were conducted by her pastor, the Rev. J. C. Frist, assisted by the Rev. J. W. Hogshead, of Petersburg, W. Va.

Surviving are two brothers, Attorney Hugh White, of Lexington, Va., and the Rev. R. A. White, D. D., of Mooresville, N. C.; three daughters, Mrs. John Mitchell Wyatt, jr., of Richmond, Va.; Mrs. A. C. McNeill, of Moorefield, and Mrs. James Breathed, of Petersburg, and eight grandchildren.

Season's Duck Kill Hits Record Low

Baltimore, Dec. 19.—Because "the hunters couldn't get to the ducks and the ducks wouldn't come to them," the total wild fowl killed during the season ended today is down to a new low.

E. Lee LeCompte, State game warden, estimated the kill at not more than 15,000 wild ducks, compared with nearly 100,000 two years ago.

The warden said unusually mild weather which prevailed in the 30-day season operated against the hunters, and the new Federal regulations also curbed their activities.

Ducks usually stay on feeding grounds in warm weather, and out of reach of the guns of hunters who can only go a certain distance from shore. On the other hand, cold, windy weather forces the fowl into the air and they make easier targets.

50 Pensions Given By Allegany County

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Cumberland, Md., Dec. 19.—The Allegany County Welfare Board announced today that 50 additional old-age pensions were ordered granted January 1.

Reports were submitted by Elling Almestedt, executive secretary, showing the number of cases on relief in November was 23 in excess of October, but expenditures declined.

There were 1,580 receiving relief at the end of last month, but a large number of these later were assigned to WPA jobs. The total expenditure in November, including relief payments and commodity distribution was $40,830.36, while the allotment was $42,344.50, leaving a balance of $1,656, with expenditure of $41,054, and an allotment of $43,610.

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District Jury Hears Dealer In Army Goods

Silverman Tells His Side of Speicher's Absence at House Inquiry.

Joseph Silverman, millionaire dealer in surplus Army materials, yesterday went before the District grand jury to tell his side of the story of how Frank E. Speicher, automobile tube salesman, was not produced before the House Military Affairs Committee for questioning when that body was inquiring into alleged irregularities in the War Department's manner of letting contracts.

Silverman, it was learned, requested United States Attorney Leslie C. Garnett to permit him to testify so he could clear up "once and for all time" every hitherto unknown angle of his activities.

He arrived here from New York yesterday morning and, accompanied by his attorney, Thomas F. Ryan, was sent before the jurors, who have been inquiring into a collateral development of the House investigation for the past three weeks.

Speicher was sought by the House committee last year to explain a $2,000 loan he allegedly made to Brig. Gen. Alexander E. Williams in 1933, when that officer was assistant to the quartermaster general in charge of the transportation division of the War Department.

Gen. Williams was later found guilty by a court-martial of "soliciting and obtaining the loan" and was ordered dismissed. The jurors are said to be investigating the disappearance of Speicher when his presence was sought here by the committee to explain details of the alleged transaction.

The grand jury's report is expected next week.

Gulf Shippers Get 24-Hour Ultimatum

By the United Press.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 19.—New Orleans shippers, described as the last barrier to settlement of the International Longshoremen's Association strike in the gulf, tonight were given 24 hours to come to terms before a Nation-wide embargo is clamped on this port.

The ultimatum was served by Holt Ross, regional representative of the American Federation of Labor.

Edward F. McGrady, Assistant Secretary of Labor, confirmed the ultimatum report. He decried lack of co-operation from New Orleans shippers and said he learned that I. L. A. workers on both Atlantic and Pacific coasts would join the boycott.

Negotiations at Galveston today virtually settled the strike in the West Gulf area. Shippers signed contracts with the I. L. A. at Houston, and union workers will return to their jobs tomorrow. Independents, who have been doing the work during the strike, will be absorbed into the I. L. A.

Borah in Race

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Borah, his name has been prominent in all discussions of prospective candidates.

Only this week Ralph Williams, national committeeman from Oregon, and vice chairman of the Republican national committee, practically announced his support for Borah, remarking that he was first for an Oregon man, if there were one in the race, and next for an Idahoan. He added the comment that Oregon has no "favorite son." Representative Hamilton Fish, of New York, himself mentioned at times in connection with the nomination, has dorsed Borah and has said that he would not enter the race if the Idaho Senator became a candidate.

Borah has refrained from entering the Ohio primaries, where the law requires that the prospective candidate's approval must be given in advance for use of his name. Whether he will alter his stand so far as Ohio is concerned, in view of his response to his Wisconsin backers, remains to be seen.

Nelson and Gettelman, following their conferences with the Senator, issued a statement, saying:

"We have been in conference several times over a period of two days with Senator Borah. He has indorsed a plan which we submitted to him to elect a delegation to the Republican national convention pledged to him for the nomination of President.

"It is our belief that the American people—and we are especially conversant with Wisconsin—are opposed to a bureaucratic form of government and regimentation on the one hand, and on the other to the Hoover, Mellon, Hills, Daugherty crowd dominated by Wall Street.

"Because of that, the Republican candidate should be one who believes in live and let live, who is in sympathy with social security for all, in the protection of American agriculture and industry, who is opposed to tampering with the Constitution and who is in sympathy with the veterans. Senator Borah has all these qualifications.

"Our purpose in initiating the Borah-for-President organization in Wisconsin is that the Republican Party was born in Wisconsin and should at this time be reborn there.

"Therefore we intend to set up an organization, circulate petitions and do all that is necessary to secure Borah-pledged delegates to the national convention."

Schram New President Of Electric Authority

By the Associated Press.

Chairman Jesse H. Jones, of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, announced yesterday that Emil Schram, chief of the corporation's drainage, levee and irrigation division and a native of Hillville, Greene County, Ill., has been elected to succeed Morris L. Cooke as president of the Electric Home and Farm Authority.

G. B. Coit, chairman of the corporation's industrial loan review committee, was named vice president of the Electric Authority.

Schall Hurt

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Senator, who was lying bleeding and unconscious on the white center line.

Schall's clothing had been virtually ripped from his body.

"Having a good deal of experience in the Army," Laughlin said, "I knew you could kill a man by lifting his head too far, so I just took off my coat and slid it under his head."

Laughlin then ran to a telephone and called an ambulance. Returning to the scene of the accident, he picked up some of the Senator's valuables, scattered over the road. He said he knew Schall's wallet contained some important papers. These were recovered. Laughlin then left the scene to notify Schall's family.

Several minutes later the Bladensburg Rescue Squad arrived, having experienced considerable difficulty in getting through a traffic jam. Senator Schall still lay in the center of the road. A policeman was directing traffic around him.

Mrs. Schall arrived at the hospital, accompanied by her son, Richard, a senior at Georgetown University. Composedly she told reporters of the singular streak of bad luck that has hit the family.

"It seems as if our family simply can't keep out of accidents," she said.

Another son, Thomas, while a midshipman at Annapolis, was so badly injured in an accident five years ago that he was unable to return to the Academy. He partially lost the use of an arm and a leg. He was in Philadelphia last night.

The Schalls' daughter, Padget Ann, a student at Arlington Hall, has suffered fractures of the collar bone, both legs and the lower spine in one mishap or another, Mrs. Schall said. Richard Schall received fractures of both ankles last June 23 in a plane crash at the Dover (Del.) Airport.

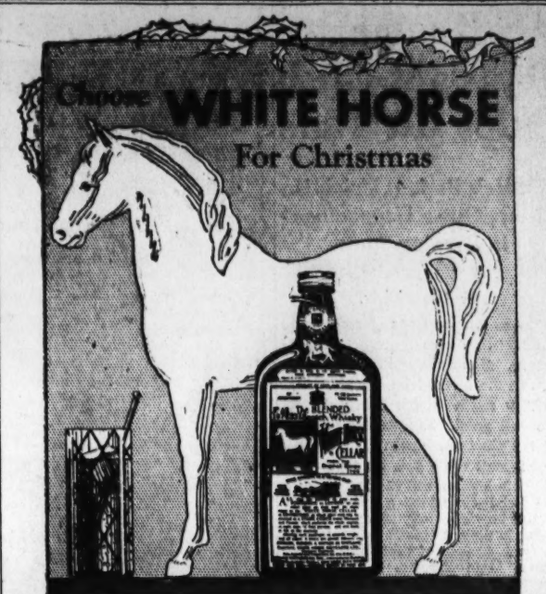
Schall is one of the few men in history to achieve a seat in the Senate against the almost insurmountable obstacle of total blindness.

Schall served five terms in the House as a Representative of the Tenth Minnesota District before coming to the Senate in 1924. Early in his Congressional career he ran as an independent. Later he became a Republican.

Schall has been one of the outstanding foes of President Roosevelt and the New Deal. Repeatedly he has turned his remarkable oratorical talents against the Administration's so-called "brain trust," against what he charged was an Administration plot to gag the press, against the NRA and against the President's tariff policies.

During the last Congressional session he was found frequently at the side of the embattled late Senator Long. During one of Long's filibusters he came to the aid of the wearying Kingfish with a lengthy statement which, because of his blindness, he had the Senate clerk read.

Schall is 58 years old. He lives while in Washington with Mrs. Schall and their three children—Thomas D., jr., Richard and Padget Ann—at Wyncrest, the Schall estate at Berwyn Heights, Md. His home is in Minneapolis.



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By Chanticleer.

"The Music Goes Round and Round" . . . here there and everywhere, nighteries and restaurants . . . in the air and on the air. And yet, as much as it's being played, it's still good. It must be because of the elusive melody. It's there—and it isn't when you try to whistle it. Pete Macias and his orchestra at the Heigh-Ho added a new chapter to the tune's history when they refused to play it (that's a courageous decision in face of the demand) because Artie Hamas, ace trumpet player of the band, was in the hospital and the piece needs plenty of ...d trumpet to get across at its
But Artie's back now!

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Helen Hamilton has made the Troika into a combination Grand Hotel, nightery and museum. F'r instance: the lobby souvenir shop with Russian dolls, candies and objets d'art . . . enough for a Czar's palace . . . Ukrainian lacquered cigarette cases . . . Cossack dolls with blinking eyes . . . scarfs to dazzle the eyes of the gypsy sales girl . . . Tears are coming into the eyes of the old reliables at the Lotus—with announcement that after Sunday the Earl Lindsay revue takes off for another engagement . . . Those nine gals have gathered quite a following unto themselves. In fact, the Lotus wishes the Lindsay revue could just settle down for the winter right there on Fourteenth street.

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Incidentally, Al Norton is putting on a Variety half hour on the jolly old radio each Wednesday, about 12:30 in the morning . . . with Judy Ellington, Ray Donohue and the Strickland Capitolians . . . This week the town's singing cop was the star added attraction with Horace Hunnicut for good measure . . . The Golden Gate has sent Washington a golden voice—Kathleen Lawlor, who has just entered Matt Windsor's Club Volga Boatman floor show. In direct disobedience to Mr. Greeley's idea, Kathleen came East where opportunity seemed to beckon . . . She's being prominently cast in Host Windsor's special Christmas or "Koliatka" show, beginning Christmas Eve.

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It seems we may have forgot "College Night" at La Paree in the rush of brand-new features at that rendezvous this last month . . . but "College Night" is going strong every Friday . . . and as the gag in the story goes — "this is the night" . . . Its suggested for a revival of that old college spirit . . . Since the Lafayette named its cocktailery the "Checker Board Room," atmospheric cocktails have come about in abundance. Witness the Red Checker, the Black Checker and King Cocktail. All Lafayette originations.

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Would you like to know how you would photograph for the movies? It's good fun and everybody's doing it at the Shoreham, where Friday night apparently is destined to become "Movie Night" . . . New movie impersonations by the town's debs are scheduled for tonight in the ballroom . . . with those pictures made of Rudy Vallee in his appearance last week being shown to the patrons . . . Prince Mogal heads the floor attractions . . . Don't kid yourself about Gordon St. Chad, basso of the Paradise Islanders at the Hi Hat . . . Gordon is a real Hawaiian, coming to this country only three years ago . . . The entire quartet is brushing up on Christmas songs right now.

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A terrible thing happened at the brand-new Carolina restaurant, the one just opened in the bus center at 609 Pennsylvania avenue . . . St. Clair, jr., the proprietor advertised his big 35-cent turkey dinner—and there wasn't even a drum stick left for him when he finally got around for a bite for himself late at night . . . Just the penalty for a good dinner . . . Unusual feelings: Walking in at the Madrillon and seeing Girschon Kaufman sitting there playing a tin whistle, a couple of saxophones and a few other things at one time . . . only a one-man band at work but it just doesn't look natural . . . Floor show also boasts the talents of Senorita Magda and Senor Romaro, Spanish dancers.

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Welcome to Helen Meeks . . . formerly with Will Osborne and his orchestra, now warbling at the Mayfair Cafe of All Nations . . . Not so long ago with Henry King's band . . . And when Helen isn't entertaining, there's Jack and Leo at the piano on the floor . . . Mary Jo Hamilton is back at the Gingham Club, singing with Phil Lynch and his gang . . . Toma Jonari provides a bit of Mexican atmosphere with twinkling feet in the real goods in tangos and rhumbas . . . Dianne and Eddie Powell stay American with their ballroom routines.

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Viv Whitsell and his orchestra feature Fuzzy, the maddest of the musical clan, at the suburban Stone Villa on the Memorial highway . . . Jimmy Santmyer and his music on tap at Wardman Park in the Dragon room, where there's no cover, no minimum . . . Don't forget that the Hamilton is the home of the 55-cent buffet luncheon from 11 to 2—and that Milt Davis and his orchestra play for your dancing each evening.

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Tonight sees the opening of the Dude Ranch's Black and Gold Room—and be ready for Host Milt Barrett's greeting . . . He'll have a souvenir sombrero in his hand for you when you arrive . . . Music by Phil Barrett's orchestra . . . Floor show with Peggy Fay, bubble dance exponent . . . Jean Savage, tap and acrobatic specialties, and Dixie Dyer, mistress of ceremonies. (And the Dude Ranch has a new bar!)

Thrills at Troika

Karavaieff dazzles the patrons at the Troika with his breath-taking steps of the Steppes. Below, Helen Meeks is now on view at the Mayfair Cafe of All Nations. She formerly warbled with Will Osborn.

D. C. Jews to Observe Festival of Chanukah

An eight-day celebration of Chanukah, the Feast of Lights, will begin at sundown today when Jews in Washington and throughout the world light the traditional candles commemorating the rebuilding of the Jerusalem temple.

Services will be held tonight in the Capital synagogues and commemorative exercises are scheduled for 10:30 a. m. tomorrow at the Washington Hebrew Congregation. A Chanukah party will be held at 11 a. m. today at Juanita K. Nye Council House, 609 Sixth street southwest.

Court Cites Ex-Umpire For Alimony Contempt

Edward S. Handiboe, former professional league baseball umpire, was cited yesterday by Justice Jennings Bailey in the District Supreme Court to show cause by Monday why he should not be found in contempt of court for his alleged failure to maintain payments to his wife, Mrs. Nellie C. Handiboe.

Attorney Jean M. Boardman, representing the wife, claimed Handiboe was $150 in arrears.

Adams Pupils to Give Nativity Pageant Today

A pageant of the Nativity in an original version created by the sixth-grade students of John Quincy Adams School is to be presented today at 11 a. m. in the auditorium of the school, under the direction of their teacher, Miss Mensh. Massed behind the back-drops will be student carolers.

In the cast are Bettejane Greer, Millard Rives, Patricia Jacobs, Elizabeth Litzen, George Dowell, Doris Walker, Hazel McGuire, Helen Russell, Louise Thigpen, Leslie Earle, Glenn Smith and Frances Blake.

Transfers

By the Associated Press.

Navy orders yesterday included:

LIEUTENANT COMMANDER.

Brice H. Mack, U. S. S. Richmond, to home, relieved of all active duty.

LIEUTENANT.

Oliver F. Naquin, command U. S. S. S-46 to Bu. Engr., Navy Department.

ENSIGN.

Leo H. Erck, U. S. S. Pennsylvania to resignation accepted.

Supply Corps.

LIEUTENANT COMMANDERS.

Leslie R. Corbin, U. S. S. Richmond, to Receiving Station, Boston, Mass.

William H. McKenna, Naval Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y., to home, relieved all active duty.

Gerald A. Shattuck, U. S. S. New Orleans in February, to Naval Supply Depot, Norfolk.

Civil Engineer Corps.

LIEUTENANT (Junior Grade).

Hunt V. Martin, Bu. Y. and D., Navy Department to duty as officer in charge of construction aviation facilities, St. Thomas, V. I.

Chaplain Corps.

LIEUTENANT COLONEL.

H. Mansfield, receiving ship at San Francisco to Marine Corps Base, San Diego, Calif.

Army orders included:

MAJOR.

Dana W. Morey, F. D., Fort Hayes, Ohio, to Chicago.

CAPTAINS.

Bruce W. Bidwell, Inf., Fort Benning, Ga., to Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.

Harry Cullins, Inf., Fort Benning, Ga., to Plattsburg Barracks, New York.

Earl M. Miner, Inf., Fort Benning, Ga., to Fort Snelling, Minn.

Clarence H. Smith, Inf., Fort Benning, Ga., to Fort Sam Houston, Tex.

FIRST LIEUTENANTS.

Ralph J. Butchers, Inf., Fort Benning, Ga., to Fort Devens, Mass.

Charles F. Howard, Inf., Fort Benning, Ga., to Fort George G. Meade, Md.

Charles D. McNerney, Inf., Fort Benning, Ga., to Fort George G. Meade, Md.

John S. Upham, jr., Inf., Fort Benning, Ga., to Fort Devens, Mass.

Joseph L. Dark, Inf., Fort Benning, Ga., to Fort Sam Houston, Tex.

Edgar E. Enger, Inf., Fort Benning, Ga., to Vancouver Barracks, Washington.

Ship Movements

At New York.

Arrived Yesterday.

Georgic, from London.

Arrive Today.

Hamburg, from Hamburg.

Sailing Tomorrow.

American Farmer, for London.
Black Hawk, for Rotterdam.
Examiner, for Tangiers.

Sailing Saturday.

American Importer, for Liverpool.
Edam, for Rotterdam.
Malaren, for Gothenburg.
Robin Gray, for Cape Town.
Scanyork, for Copenhagen.
Tyrfjord, for Trondjem.

Reported by Radio.

Bremen, due pier 86, North River, Saturday.
Empress of Britain, due pier 59, North River, Saturday.
Marques de Comillas, due pier 42, North River, Saturday.
Manhattan, due pier 60, North River, Sunday.
American Trader, due pier 58, North River, Monday.
Conte di Savoia, due pier 59, North River, Monday.
Transylvania, due pier 95, North River, Monday.

Movements of Naval Vessels.

All dates December 18 unless otherwise specified.
Bridge, at San Diego.
Detroit, at San Diego.
Lapwing, at Coco Solo.
Monaghan, at Boston yard.
Sacramento, at Honolulu.
Woodcock, at Guantanamo Bay, December 19.
Notes—Idaho aviation unit resumed ship based status.
Commander Destroyer Division 15 shifted pennant to Pillsbury, administration remains in John D. Ford.
Commander Destroyer Division 6 hoisted pennant in Roper.
Commander Destroyer Battle Forces hoisted flag in Detroit, administration remains Destroyer Base.
Commander Destroyer Division 1 shifted pennant to Cole.

Wanderbirds Plan Yule Hikes From Glen Echo and Brookland

By Robert Shosteck.

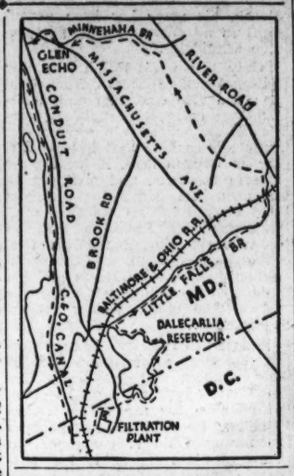
Sunday's Wanderbird trip through the region between Dalecarlia Reservoir and Glen Echo offers a wide variety in scenery and includes such attractive features as Fort Sumner, an extensive hickory grove above Little Falls Branch and a little-known pond in which thousands of salamander and frog eggs are deposited every spring.

This 8-mile pre-Christmas trip should offer no difficulties to the hiking novice. Readers of The Washington Post and club members planning to go on this trip will meet at the Dalecarlia stop on the Cabin John car line at 10:30 a. m. Bring lunch and a cup for coffee. Wear durable hiking togs, particularly high-top shoes.

From Dalecarlia station one may reach the reservoir trail by way of the short drive to Conduit road. The trail begins at the intersection of Little Falls road with Conduit road and it follows closely the edge of the reservoir for over a mile to a dirt road along the branch. A trail follows Little Falls Branch to River road, but a short detour to the hickory grove is planned.

Turning inland from River road, the Wanderbirds will traverse an old hardwood forest, following good trails which once were sawmill roads. We finally reach Minnehaha Run, which we follow to its mouth in Glen Echo. A high foot-bridge crosses the canal below the amusement park, and brings us to the towpath on the 2½-mile walk to the District line, the group will pass several old lockhouses, the scenic High Island and the rapids of the Potomac River known as Little Falls. Those who wish to may continue another 5 miles along the towpath to Key Bridge, while street cars are within a stone's throw for the weary hikers.

The Vita Health Hikers meet at 2 p. m. at the end of the Brookland car line for a short hike over historic Fort Bunker Hill. A chestnut roast is planned at the end of the hike at the home of one of the members. Everyone interested is invited to go on this trip.



Every year, about Christmas time, the Red Triangle Outing Club announces a Daniel Boone day when all good hikers are expected to arrange small parties of their own and go out exploring for new trails. Wanderbirds and members of other hiking groups might profitably emulate the R. T. O. C. plan, and do a little exploring of their own between now and January 1.

The Wanderbirds' New Year's party will be held on December 31, at the Capital Yacht Club, Eleventh and Water streets southwest. The program includes motion pictures taken on hikes, singing around the Yule log and dancing. All regular hikers are invited to attend, but reservations must be sent to the writer by December 25, since accommodations are limited to about 100.

The writer wishes his hundreds of Wanderbird friends a joyous Christmas and a Happy New Year, and looks forward to another year of enjoyable companionship with

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Lee-Jackson Student Group Elects New Officers; Yule Party Tonight.

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George E. Proctor has been elected president of Fairfax Council, Order of Fraternal Americans, at Fairfax, Va. George W. Craig was elected vice president; Crockett C. Carr, recording secretary; C. A. Lane, assistant recording secretary; Stacy S. Swart, financial secretary; Alvin A. Birch, treasurer; J. Frank Swart, chaplain; Ralph E. Waple, marshal; J. T. Fletcher, warden; Earl Posey, inner guard, and Linwood Sweeny, outer guard.

J. Frank Swart was elected trustee for one year; Samuel W. Sisson, sr., for two years and Robert R. Buckley for three years. W. K. Hampton and C. A. Lane were named representatives to the grand council. Hampton was elected deputy State president and W. J. Newman, junior past president.

Members of the student council of the Lee-Jackson High School at Cameron Valley have elected officers. Following the Christmas holidays a new type of student government is expected to be put into effect.

The council will be composed of Anna Lou Talbot, president; Eleana Ayres, vice president; James Sipes, secretary-treasurer; John Sipes, vocational guidance and paper staff representative; Emma Stevens and Aleck Williams, senior class representatives; Ernestine Poag and John Briar, junior class representatives; Betty Dean and Wilfred Frayley, sophomore representatives, and Nancy Alward and Peter Druary, freshmen.

Class officers of the high school have been named as follows:

Senior class—Hunter Ratcliff, president; Richard Randolph, vice president; Ruby Pearson, secretary, and Alex Williams, treasurer.

Junior class—Raymond Rodgers, president; Charles Lynch, vice president; Margaret Wilsey, secretary-treasurer.

Sophomore class—Robert Dodd, of Mount Vernon, president; Marjorie May Clapp, vice president, and Katherine Much, secretary-treasurer.

Freshman class—Laura Simms, president; James Lowe, vice president, and Doris Hinton, secretary-treasurer.

A Christmas party and tree for the Sunday School of the Congregational Church at Herndon, Va., will be held in the classrooms of the church tonight at 7:30. The committee on arrangements includes Mrs. G. R. Bready, Mrs. Seymour Robb and Mrs. Ruth Fox.

The Cavaliers of Virginia, Fairfax County Chapter, will give a bingo party tonight in the auditorium of the Vienna School. Proceeds will be used toward paying the debt on the lodge hall.

The annual Christmas party for the children of members and friends of the Sharon Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, will be held tonight in the Masonic Hall at McLean.

The Annandale School and Civic League will hold a business meeting tonight in the auditorium of the Annandale School. Plans to assist the Boy Scouts in the community Christmas celebration on December 26 will be made. The troop plans to distribute food and toys to the needy in the community Christmas Eve.

The Floris Grange will hold its monthly meeting tonight in the grange room of the Floris School.

The 4-H Club of Fairfax will give a Christmas party for the primary grades tonight in the auditorium of the Fairfax Elementary School.

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Elimination of Grade Crossing In Kensington to Begin Soon

Chamber Calls on Town to Oust Abandoned Trolley Tracks.

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Railroad grade-crossing elimination in Kensington will start in the near future, the Kensington Chamber of Commerce was informed at the monthly meeting in the Kensington Elementary School by the president, Washington I. Cleveland.

Cleveland announced that a conference with Senator George L. Radcliffe and Nathan L. Smith, chief engineer of the State roads commission, revealed that funds for the projects are available and bids will be advertised this month.

The chamber adopted a resolution calling upon the county commissioners and town authorities to have the tracks and rolling stock of the old Kensington trolley line removed at once. The line was abandoned several months ago.

Another resolution adopted calls upon officials of the National Park Seminary in Forest Glen to eliminate the wall around Deer Park at the entrance to the school to remove "a serious traffic hazard."

Charles W. Lane, Harry D. Appleby, Howard S. Bean, John T. Lewis and H. W. McGinnins were appointed a nominating committee to select candidates for the annual election next month.

Formal acceptances of the proposal of the Public Works Administration for a loan and grant to finance Montgomery County school construction was voted by the county board of education yesterday.

The board also approved the selection of Maj. Howard W. Cutler as architect on the new junior high school to be built in Montgomery Hills north of Silver Spring.

Civic organizations throughout the Bethesda communtiy are being asked to delegate representatives to attend an open meeting at the Newcomb Club Bethesda Library on January 14 to establish the future status of the library.

Mrs. William Ross Dellett, secretary of the library, said that while "the library management feels that the library has become an established institution, it seems advisable that the public be represented by its various civic organizations and permitted to direct the future management of library affairs and administration." She announced that the library will be closed from today to December 31, during the Christmas holiday season.

In conformity with the policy of veteran organizations to contribute to libraries, the Takoma Park Post, No. 350, Veterans of Foreign Wars, has made a cash donation to the Takoma Park (Md.) public library.

Mrs. Frederick L. Pratt, president of the library association, announces the following schedule with the women in charge for the next few months. They are: Monday, 3 to 5 p. m., Mrs. E. L. Widdifield and Mrs. Edward Fraser; Tuesday, 7 to 9 p. m., Mrs. Anson Overdorf and Mrs. Maude Harter; Wednesday, 3 to 5 p. m., Mrs. F. A. Shumaker and Mrs. W. H. Walker; Thursday, 7 to 9 p. m., Mrs. Fred O. Lincoln and Mrs. Anson Overdorf; Friday, 3 to 5 p. m., Mrs. A. L. Conger and Mrs. Arthur F. Tool, and Saturday, 7 to 9 p. m., Mrs. M. F. Harter and Mrs. Anson Overdorf.

Harry H. Millard was elevated to the chair in the East as worshipful master of Takoma Lodge, No. 29, F. A. A. M., at the annual meeting at Masonic Temple. Other officers advanced in the line are Walter G. M. Fields, senior warden, Herbert D. Lawson, jr., junior warden; Charles W. Ayars, secretary; Thomas E. Holmes, treasurer; Richard C. Larkin, senior deacon; James T. Blose, junior deacon; David R. Penicks, senior steward; John D. Wischhussen, junior steward; David R. Blose, trustee for three years; C. C. Galloway, representative to Masonic and Easter Star Home; Guy Clinton, delegate to St. John's Mite Association, and Winn T. Simmons, delegate to Masonic board of relief.

Worshipful Master Millard appointed the Rev. William E La Rue chaplain, Fred L. Harries, tiler, and Paul R. Mattix, instructor.

Installation of the new officers was conducted by Past Master William H. Dyre. Past Master Thomas E. Holmes acted as master of ceremonies. Retiring Master Roland E. Jones was presented with a past master's jewel by Past Master Holmes, and the new master, Millard, was presented with a gavel, the handiwork of Tiler Fred L. Harries.

Conscience Restores Loot After 30 Years

Luray, Va., Dec. 19 (AP).—Into an educational fund which Dr. Ira M. Saum, of Washington, started for his two sons before his death about two years ago, has been placed $30 returned by an unidentified conscience-stricken person who said the money was taken by a child while Dr. Saum was in Luray on his honeymoon 30 years ago.

The money, inclosed with an unsigned note mailed in Washington, was sent to his sister, Mrs. W. L. Rhodes, of Luray. She said Dr. Saum discovered the money missing after a trip from Luray to the Caverns near here on his honeymoon trip. He supposed at the time his pocket had been picked, Mrs. Rhodes said.

Cornelius Wilson Clum, 75, of Kensington, Md., publisher and editor of the Montgomery Press, a weekly newspaper, died Wednesday night at Georgetown University Hospital following an illness of two weeks.

A native of Claverack, N. Y., Mr. Clum was educated at a military academy at Hudson, N. Y., and in Franklin High School in Washington. After completing his education he went West for a number of years. Forty years ago he came to Kensington where he founded the Montgomery Press. He was a member of Christ Episcopal Church, Kensington.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Mary G. Clum, formerly a Miss Herron; John Philip Clum, Washington medical student; four daughters, Mrs. Charles G. Gibson, of the Virgin Islands, and the Misses Helen E., Mary and Bertha Clum, of Kensington, and a brother, Arthur, living in Ohio.

Funeral services will be held at his late residence tomorrow at 11 a. m. Burial will be in Rockville Union Cemetery.

Mrs. Grace Stacy, wife of Harry Albert Stacy, inspector of material in the Bureau of Yards and Docks of the Navy Department, was found dead yesterday at her home, 11 Woodland avenue, Takoma Park, Md. The body was discovered by her daughter, Mrs. Carlton D. Dewey, of 11 Woodland avenue, at 4:30 p. m. Mrs. Dewey immediately called the rescue squad of the Takoma Park Volunteer Fire Department, which rushed Mrs. Stacy to the Washington Sanitarium, where she was pronounced dead by Dr. O. B. Bray.

A resident of Takoma Park for about 26 years, Mrs. Stacy was well known in the community. She was past matron of the Takoma Park Chapter, No. 112, Order of the Eastern Star, and a member of the Takoma Presbyterian Church. She was born in York Village, Me., 55 years ago, and came here from Key West, Fla. Besides her husband and Mrs. Dewey she is survived by a son, Harry Albert, jr., and a daughter, Mrs. J. Alton Brady, of Baltimore; two brothers, Dr. Freeman M. Sewall, of Bridgeton, N. J., and Arthur E. Sewall, a lawyer, of York Village, Me.

Hoover Backer Threatens Nice Vote by Default

Weinberg, G. O. P. Chief, May Force Primary in Maryland.

By the Associated Press

Baltimore, Dec. 19.—A threat arose today to plans to have the support of the Maryland delegation to the Republican convention go to Gov. Harry W. Nice by default.

The challenge to Nice-for-President circles was made by Leo F. Weinberg, Frederick, western Maryland Republican leader and a proponent of Herbert Hoover for President. Gov. Nice's advisers had hoped there would be no need for a primary election in Maryland.

Weinberg asserted that the "rank and file of the party" would support Hoover in a primary election.

"Herbert Hoover is the only man qualified to save the Government and to restore it to its rightful place as the greatest democracy on earth," Weinberg said.

"If our so-called political leaders, such as members of the Republican national committee and those who claim the right to dictate the policy of the Republican Party in Maryland, cannot or will not banish their unfounded fear, and if they are unable or unwilling to appreciate the superior qualifications of Mr. Hoover, then the rank and file of the party, in the exercise of their franchise, in a primary election, will support him as the only person properly equipped to rescue us from impending danger."

Mrs. Cunningham Dies in Maryland

Mrs. Mary Bentley Cunningham, widow of Dr. J. Carey Cunningham, former prominent dentist of Baltimore, died yesterday at her home in Lanham, Md.

Born in Baltimore, the daughter of Charles W. and Ann Matty Bentley, she lived most of her life there, moving to Lanham 25 years ago, after her husband's death.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Joseph W. Corridon, Baltimore, and Mrs. Hugh B. Meloy, of Washington; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; a sister, Lottie L. Bentley, of Lanham, and a brother, Edwin O. Bentley, of Baltimore.

Funeral services will be held Monday at 10 a. m. at her home, to be followed by interment in Loudon Park Cemetery, Baltimore.

Beer License Is Denied Fortress Monroe Hotel

Richmond, Va., Dec. 19 (AP).—The Virginia Alcoholic Beverage Control Board today denied a new 1935 beer and wine license to the Chamberlin Hotel at Fortress Monroe, but announced that the hotel would be eligible to apply for a 1936 license after January 1.

The board gave no reason for refusing the license to the hostelry, whose management recently was fined in United States District Court at Norfolk for selling hard liquors. Its beer-wine license was revoked by the A. B. C. on those grounds earlier this year.

Keyser Postoffice to Open.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Keyser, W. Va., Dec. 19.—Keyser's new postoffice building, Davis and Piedmont streets, will receive and dispatch mail for the first time December 30, Postmaster Thomas F. Ward said today. The building will be opened December 27, when Representative Jennings Randolph will speak.

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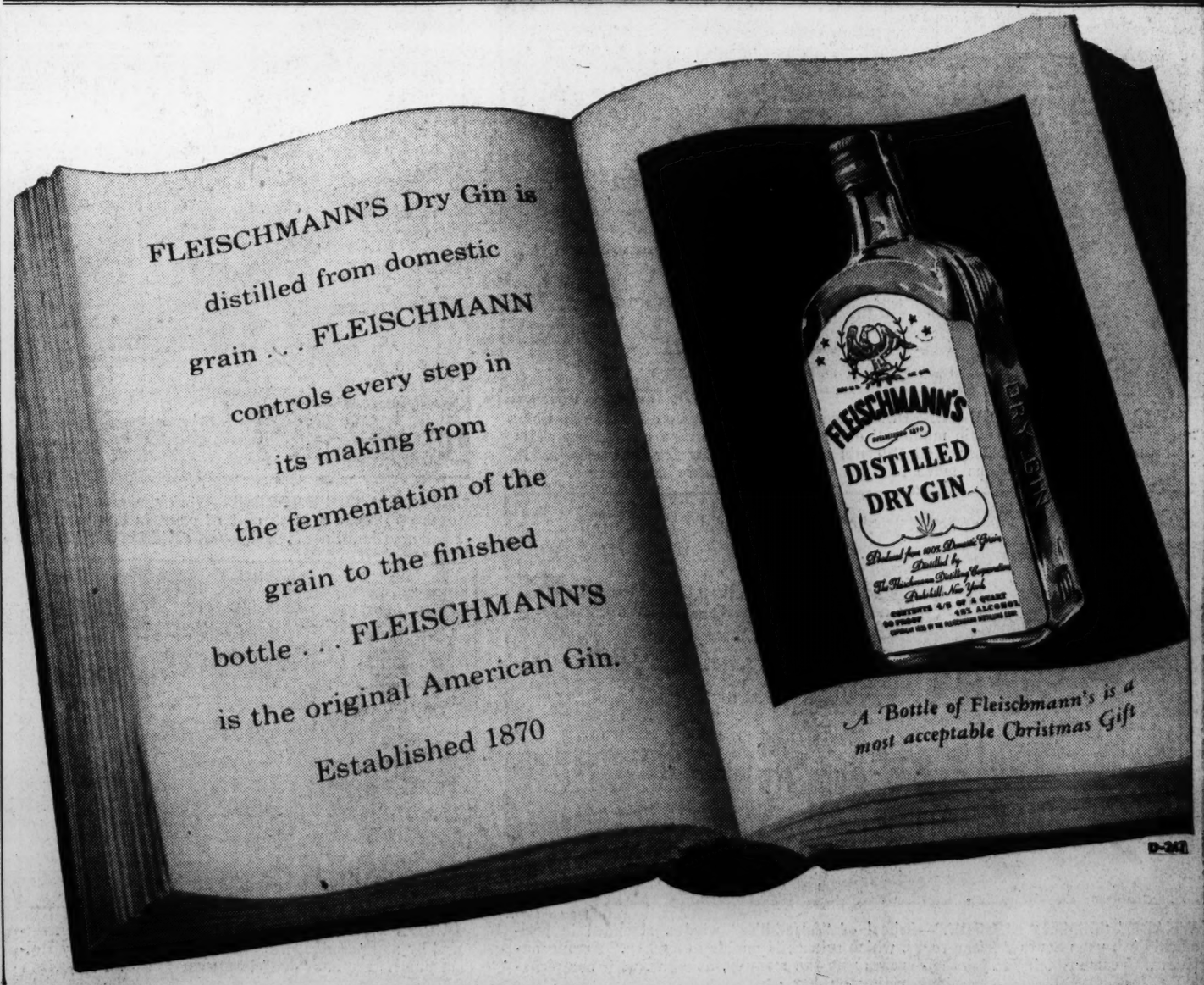
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JAPANESE TO BE CHINESE QUEEN.—Strange as it seems, Mr. Hix, lovely Lili Arikawa, born in Santa Barbara of Japanese parents, will play role of Wan Quae Fei, most beautiful Chinese empress, in Tournament of Roses pageant at Pasadena on January 1.

Underwood & Underwood Photos.

THIS IS MONEY. **THIS WAS MONEY.**

How would you like their job? J. L. Dillard (left) and Clarence Brower dump 1,350 pounds of old bills, valued at $350,000, into hopper, as Bureau of Engraving and Printing yesterday began destroying old bills with the advent of "New Deal" dollar. At right, Brower examines handful of pulp discharged from hopper. It's money to burn now.

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"GIFT OF GOD" BABY AWARDED MOTHER.—Anna Ware, 19, unwed Pennsylvania servant girl, shown with baby the St. Louis Court of Appeals ruled was hers and not the "Gift of God" child of Mrs. Nellie Tipton Muench, society matron who claimed boy, now 4 months old. Baby was returned to mother yesterday.

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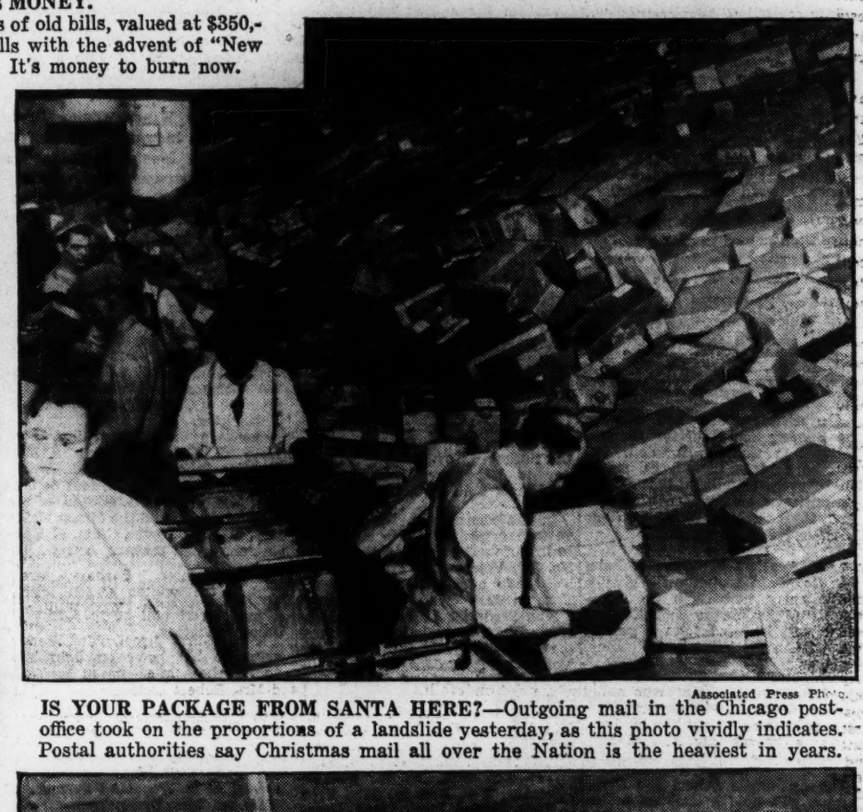
DOGS HAUL YULE MAIL.—Heavy snow and impassable trails can't halt Uncle Sam's mail delivery in Maine. Here's mail carrier of Oquossoc and his sled-dog team.

Post Staff Photo.

STUDENTS PRESENT CHRISTMAS PLAY.—Pupils of the Notre Dame Academy yesterday presented "One Night in Bethlehem," one of the most notable of the season's offerings. Left to right, front row: Eileen Fitzhugh, Elizabeth Kelly, Mary Anna Yates, as the Child, and Nora O'Connor. Second row: Jane Hitchens, Virginia Harper and Mary Cumberland. Rear: Norma Rieman and Elizabeth Irwin.



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IS YOUR PACKAGE FROM SANTA HERE?—Outgoing mail in the Chicago postoffice took on the proportions of a landslide yesterday, as this photo vividly indicates. Postal authorities say Christmas mail all over the Nation is the heaviest in years.

Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

NEW GIANT AIRLINER.—Here is the new 24-passenger land transport plane, biggest yet built in the country, ready for trial flight yesterday at Santa Monica, Calif. Bullet-shape gives additional room, with berths for 16 in night hops. Wingspread is 95 feet, length 65, speed 215 m. p. h.

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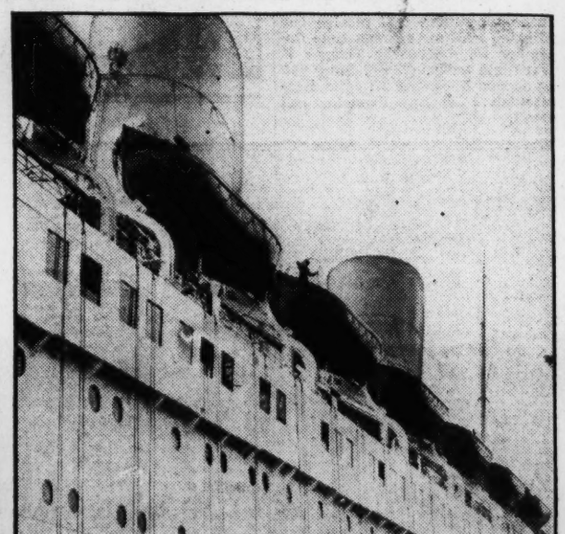
AGITATE FOR CHINESE FREEDOM.—Scene of demonstration for North China autonomy in front of Tientsin municipal offices recently. Chinese authorities claim agitators were mainly jobless, paid 13 cents (American) a day for their efforts. A new semi-autonomous move has since started to create fresh crisis.



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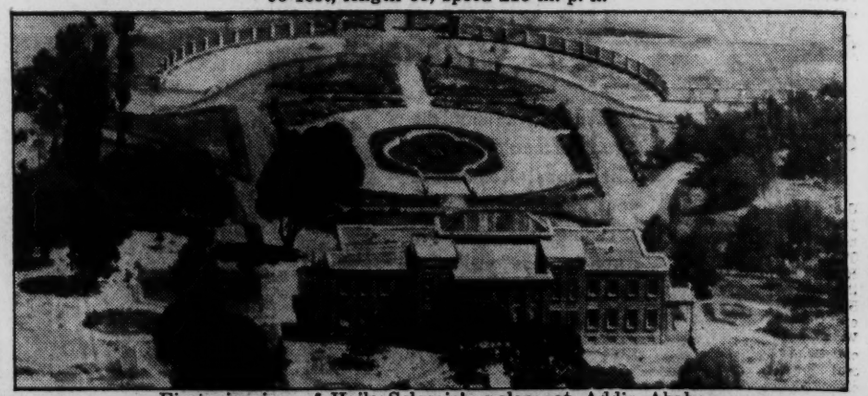
SLICK UP THE EMPRESS.—Workmen give the Empress of Britain a fresh coat of paint in Southampton, England. Giant liner is being overhauled for world cruise.



First air view of Haile Selassie's palace at Addis Ababa.

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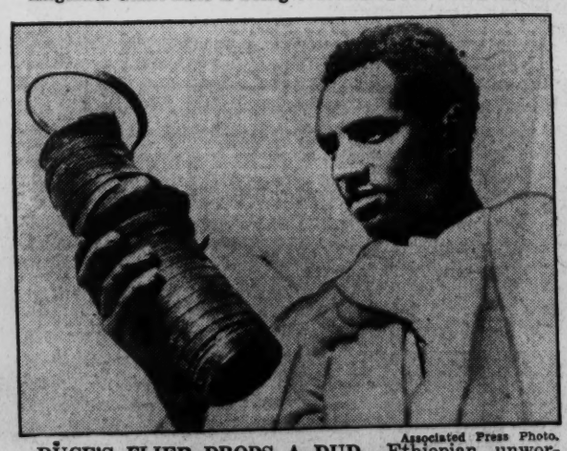
WHALES "COMMIT SUICIDE."—School of "false-killer" whales, stranded in periodical dash upon South African rocks, which science is unable to explain. Among natives who came running to jab their spears was the mammy, at right, with her pickaninny riding on her back.



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DUCE'S FLIER DROPS A DUD.—Ethiopian, unworried by any possible risk, studies bomb dropped by Italian plane. Similar "dud" last week killed an American missionary.

U. S. flag protects Red Cross hosp ital maintained by missionaries.

MacWhites Will Move to Tracy Place

Irish Free State Legation to Be Established There.

Minister to Occupy New Home Early in January.

By Evelyn Peyton Gordon.

At last the Irish Free State is to have a legation in Washington. Ever since there has been diplomatic representation from the Emerald Isle, the offices of the legation have been housed in a building on Connecticut avenue, and the minister and his family have either lived in an apartment hotel or leased a house in one of the smart sections of Washington. Mr. Timothy A. Smiddy, who was the first minister sent to Washington from Dublin, and his two daughters, made their home at Wardman Park Hotel, and Mr. Michael MacWhite, the present minister, with Mrs. MacWhite and their young son, Eoin, have been established at the Shoreham for two years. Before that they occupied a house on N street.

Now comes the news that Mr. and Mrs. MacWhite will move shortly after the first of the New Year to the charming house at 2310 Tracy place which they have leased. The chancery will also be moved from the old building, and within a few weeks the attractive house of red brick, which was recently occupied by Mr. William T. Joyner, will be buzzing with activity.

Mrs. MacWhite has only been back in Washington a few weeks, having lingered in the Southwest for several months to paint. Mrs. MacWhite, who is Danish by birth, is an artist of note, and has had several exhibitions of her work in Washington. Knowing the brilliance with which she wields her brush, Mrs. MacWhite's friends are most anxious to see the canvases which she painted during the summer and early fall.

Mr. MacWhite fills the popular imagination in that he has an excellent war record, and, after the manner of his race, entered the world conflict voluntarily before Great Britain had determined conscription, and in the most romantic way. The Celtic diplomat, who enjoys the distinction of being the first appointee of his country to be sent to the Geneva tribunal in 1922, and who, since 1923, has been a permanent delegate to the League of Nations, is a North Irishman, who sympathized strongly with the South, and when the Irish Free State was formed cast his destiny with the government rather than with the Ulster regime. He is young for one of ministerial rank, and is a linguist of some ability. He intended at one time to teach languages, and was assigned to the University of Denmark at Copenhagen. In the summer of 1914 he took a motor trip in France with a vague idea of crossing the pyrenees into Spain.

It was in the romantic part of France known as Cote d'Azur that, overtaken by war, he joined the Foreign Legion, and set out, with the first French battalions that went to the assistance of Serbia, invaded by the Austrians. In 1917, Mr. MacWhite came to this country, and to Washington, with M. Rene Viviani, who led the French War Mission, and, at the request of the French ministry of war, remained here a year and a half, making appeals for the Liberty bonds.

In 1923, Mr. MacWhite and his wife went to Geneva, where they made their home until coming to Washington in 1929. In Geneva at the same time was Dr. Ferdinand Veverka, now Czechoslovak Minister to Washington, who preceded Mr. MacWhite to this post by a few months. Dr. Veverka is at present in Prague, where he is attending the induction of the new President of Czechoslovakia, Dr. Edouard Benes.

Georgians to Hold Yule Ball Tonight

Officials to Be Honored at Annual Party.

The Christmas ball of the Georgia State Society tonight will honor Judge Annabel Matthews, member of the United States Board of Tax Appeals; Mr. Lawrence Wood Robert, jr., Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; Mr. Harllee Branch, Second Assistant Postmaster General; Rear Admiral Clark Howell Woodward; Miss Stella Akin, special assistant to the Attorney General; Mr. Ashley W. Sellers, special assistant to the Attorney General, and Mr. Robert Fechner, director of the CCC. The affair will be held in the west ballroom of the Shoreham Hotel beginning at 9:30 o'clock.

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NOTES OF SOCIETY

Official and Resident

The Vice President and Mrs. John Nance Garner arrived in the Capital early yesterday morning from Seattle, Wash., and have opened their apartment at the Washington Hotel for the season.

Senator James E. Murray, of Butte, Mont., who is now occupying his apartment at the Wardman Park Hotel, will return to his home for Christmas, coming back to Washington around the last of the month.

Miss Callie Doyle, 1785 Massachusetts avenue, will leave this morning for New York, where she will meet her sister, Mrs. George Marye, and her niece, Mrs. William Thomas, who will arrive Saturday morning on board the Bremen after several weeks' stay in Paris. They will accompany Miss Doyle on her return to Washington.

Mrs. Henry A. Gardner and Mrs. Paul N. Gardner, of Chevy Chase, Md., are in New York, staying at the Hotel Vanderbilt.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sommaripa and their young son will leave the end of the week to spend the Christmas holidays at their former home in Tuxedo Park, N. Y. They have been residing in Washington for the past year, since Mr. Sommaripa became connected with the NRA.

Mrs. W. H. Potter will sail today from New York on board the Monarch of Bermuda for a several weeks' stay in Bermuda.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jared have invited a company of 28 for dinner at the Shoreham this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Stanley Brown entertained at a small dinner last evening in honor of the supervising architect of the Government, Mr. Louis Simon, and Mrs. Simon.

Dr. and Mrs. Carl Voegtlin have as their guest at their home, 2525 Belmont road, Mme. Schlatter de Roll, of Soleure, Switzerland, who will be a visitor in the Capital until after the new year. Mme. Schlatter de Roll arrived recently to attend the marriage of her son, Mr. Ernest Schlatter, Attache of the Legation of Switzerland, to Miss Zoe Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Grainer, of Vancouver, Wash., are spending some time in the Capital as the guests of Maj. and Mrs. Sidney Eberle, at their home, 4330 Klingle street.

Mrs. Jay F. Bancroft and her sister, Mrs. Lafayette Bliss, have returned to Washington after a three-year absence and have taken an apartment at Schuyler Arms, 1954 Columbia road.

Miss Esther L. O'Brian, a student at Sweet Briar College, Va., arrived in Washington a day or two ago to join her parents, the former Assistant to the Attorney General and Mrs. John Lord O'Brian, for the holidays. At the present they are maintaining a suite at the Wardman Park Hotel.

Miss Elizabeth Allen Cremen will spend the Christmas holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney W. Register in Savannah, Ga., as the guest of Mr. Register's sister, Miss Aileen Register. Later the entire party will motor to Miami, Fla., for several days. Miss Cremen will return to the Capital January 7.

Miss Mary Collier Thornton will arrive today from Pennsylvania State College to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell M. Thornton, 415 Hampton street northwest. Miss Thornton will have as her guest for several days, her classmate, Miss Julia Schubert, of Staten Island, N. Y.

Mrs. Maxine Elliott Berg and her young daughter, Barbara, are spending the winter season with Mrs. Berg's mother, Mrs. William Eugene Elliott, in the latter's home on Twenty-first street. Mrs. Berg has rented her home on Belmont road for the winter season to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lansill.

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Ambassador of Chile Heads List of Guests at Afternoon Event.

Mrs. William Phillips, wife of the Undersecretary of State, entertained at a musical yesterday afternoon at her home.

Among the guests were the Ambassador of Chile, Senor Don Manuel Trucco, who was accompanied by his eldest daughter, Senorita Marta Trucco; the Ambassador of Turkey and Mme. Ertegun, the Minister of Sweden and Mme. Bostrom, the Minister of Guatemala and Senora de Recinos, the Minister of Bolivia and Senora de Finot, the Minister of Uruguay, Mr. J. Richling; the Minister of Finland and Mme Jarnefelt, the Minister of Greece, Mr. Demetrios Sicilianos; the Minister of Egypt, Mr. Amine Youssef; the Charge d'Affaires of Poland and Mme. Sokolowska, the Charge d'Affaires of Spain and Senora de Yrujo, the Counselor of the Italian Embassy and Marchioness Rossi Longhi, the Counselor of the German Embassy and Frau Leitner, the Second Secretary of the Brazilian Embassy, Mr. Decio de Moura, and the Attache of the French Embassy and Mme. Saint.

League to Play Santa To Orphan Children

The League for the Larger Life again will play host and Santa Claus to a group of orphans at its headquarters, 1414 Sixteenth street, at 8 o'clock tomorrow night. There will be a program of vocal and instrumental selections, stories, specialty dancing, together with a Christmas tree. The program will be followed by a dance.

Children to Offer Greetings In International Broadcast

The third annual international children's Christmas broadcast will be given at 5 o'clock this afternoon in the grand ballroom of the Mayflower.

There will be 20 children, sons and daughters of prominent diplomats, who will extend Christmas greetings to the children of the United States from the children of their respective countries. They will be dressed in native costumes. The Marine Band will play popular children's Christmas songs and national anthems of the various countries.

The program is sponsored yearly by the Greater National Capital committee of the Washington Board of Trade in co-operation with the National Broadcasting Co.

The children who will take part in the program include Sakiko and Masako Saito, small daughters of the Ambassador of Japan and Mme. Saito; Guillermo Najera, son of the Ambassador of Mexico and Senora de Castillo Najera; Teresa Yrujo, daughter of Senor Don Luis M. de Yrujo, Minister Plenipotentiary, Counselor of the Mexican Embassy, and Senora de Yrujo; Mary Recinos, daughter of the Minister of Gautemala and Senora de Recinos; Yolando Alfaro, daughter of the Minister of Panama and Senora Dona Amelia L. de Alfaro; Gloria Finot, niece of the Minister of Bolivia and Senora de Finot; Olmedo Alfaro, son of the Minister of Ecudor, and Senora Dona Blanca Puig de Alfaro; Marjorie Bertha Morgenstierne, daughter of the Minister of Norway and Mme. Munthe de Morgenstierne; Pola Fotitch, daughter of the Minister of Yugoslavia and Mme. Fotitch; Peter Sokolowski, son of the Counselor of the Polish Legation and Mme. Sokolowska; Carlotta Leitner, daughter of the Counselor of the German Embassy and Frau Leitner; Luis Quintanilla, son of the Counselor of the Mexican Embassy and Senora de Quintanilla; Yvonne Florescu, daughter of the Counselor of the Rumanian Legation and Mme. Florescu; Camilla Victoria Torr, daughter of Col. W. W. Torr, Military Attache of the British Embassy, and Mrs. Torr; Mark-Wardlaw, son of Commander A. L. P. Mark-Wardlaw, Assistant Naval Attache of the British Embassy, and Mrs. Mark-Wardlaw; Charles Francis Lombard, son of Lieut. Col. Emmanuel Lombard, Military Attache of the British Embassy, and Mme. Lombard; Charles Curtis Mahoney, son of Mr. Merchant Mahoney, First Secretary of the Canadian Legation, and Mrs. Mahoney; Melva De Bayle, daughter of Senor Dr. Don Henri De Bayle, Charge d'Affaires of the Nicaraguan Legation, and Senora de De Bayle; and Leon Leonard, son of M. Charles Leonard, Chancellor of the Belgian Embassy, and Mme. Leonard.

W. W. Rapley Off For Shooting Trip

Plans to Spend Christmas at Miami Beach.

Mr. W. W. Rapley left yesterday for Estill, S. C., where he will spend the week-end shooting. On Monday, Mr. Rapley will continue his trip by motor to Miami Beach, Fla., where he will spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Everett Rapley, and his small daughter, Mary.

Mr. and Mrs. Rapley and their granddaughter spent the autumn in Washington and are now established at the winter home in Miami for the season. Mr. W. W. Rapley will return to the Capital after the first of the year.

De Laboulayes Dinner Hosts At the Embassy

Diplomats, Resident Society Folk Among Guests; Sunday Tea Set.

The Ambassador of France and Mme. de Laboulaye entertained at dinner last evening in the embassy.

The guests were the Ambassador of Peru, Senor Don Manuel de Fryre y Santander; the Minister of Norway and Mme. Munthe de Morgenstierne, the Secretary of the Treasury and Mrs. Henry A. Morgenthau, jr., the Special Assistant to the Secretary of State and Mrs. James Clement Dunn, the Charge d'Affaires of the Netherlands and Baroness van Breugel Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Feis, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Adolphus Andrews, the former United States Ambassador to the Court of St. James and Mrs. Alanson B. Houghton, Mr. Eugene Meyer, Prof. and Mme. Siegfried, Mrs. Winthrop Chanler, Mrs. Hare Lippincott, Miss Wiborg, of New York; Mr. Arthur Krock, the Naval Attache of the French Embassy and Mme. Sable, the Financial Attache of the French Embassy and Mme. Appert, the new Attache of the Embassy and Mme. Lucet, and Mr. Francois de Leboulaye, son of the host and hostess.

The Ambassador and Mme. de Laboulaye have issued cards for a tea on Sunday afternoon in the embassy from 5 until 6:30 o'clock in honor of Prof. and Mme. Siegfried, who have arrived from Paris for a visit of several days. Prof. Siegfried is of the College of France faculty.

The Ambassador of Brazil and Mme. Aranha entertained at dinner last evening in the embassy.

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Miss McKane Is Debutante At Large Ball

Milwaukee Girl Was a Student of Finishing School Here.

Rose-Colored Lights in Use Spread Unusual Glow on Scene.

Mrs. James P. McKane, of Milwaukee, who is spending the winter in Washington, presented her daughter, Miss Catherine McKane, to society at a ball last night at the Mayflower. Miss McKane attended finishing school in the Capital.

Assisting the debutante were Miss Amelita Alfaro, Miss Mary B. Patterson, Miss Solveig Smith-Patterson. Miss Rosario Delgado, Miss Betty Angus, Miss Silvine Clagett, Miss Anna Lee Stuart, Miss Randolph Richardson, Miss Margaret McMullen, Miss Yvonne Christian and Miss Laura Johnson.

Mrs. McKane and her daughter received in the east end of the grand ballroom of the hotel, the rest of the room being used for dancing. Rose-colored lights were used entirely, giving a decidedly unusual and effective glow to the enormous room. Supper was served in the Chinese room, with Miss McKane seated at one table with other debutantes of the season and the girls assisting her, and Mrs. McKane having tables for her own guests and the other young people present. Favorite songs of the debutantes were played by the orchestra during the supper period.

Miss McKane wore a gown of silver lame lace over a biege satin slip, the bodice made in an off-the-shoulder effect, with very full sleeves caught at the wrist with a narrow cuff. The skirt was quite full and had a slight train. A green sash and an old-fashioned bouquet completed the ensemble. Mrs. McKane was dressed in black crepe.

Mr. Hugh McKane, brother of the debutante, is here for the holidays and was at the ball.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zoller, Miss Mary Louise Stafford, Mr. George Belicovitch and Mr. Jack Stafford formed a dinner party at the Shoreham last evening before attending the debut ball of Miss Catherine McKane.

Assembly Ball Set for Tonight

Debs, Post-Debs and Sub-Debs Will Be Guests at Large Function.

The fourth annual Washington Assembly, taking place tonight in the grand ballroom at the Mayflower, is a ball for the debutantes, post-debs and a few of the sub-debs and their escorts. The older women receiving and a few of the mothers of the daughters and sons who are in the show, also attend.

Receiving with Mrs. Helen Ray Hagner will be Mme Alfaro, Mrs. Robert V. Fleming, Mrs. John B. Hyde, Mrs. Rudolph M. Kauffmann, Mrs. Charles H. LeFevre, Mrs. Malcolm Matheson and Mrs. W. Wayne Wirgman. Mr. Manning Gasch will introduce the guests to the receiving line.

Mr. Kent Dyer is chairman of the floor committee and Mr. Humphrey Daniel is vice chairman. Fifteen committeemen will "go stag," doing all they can to see that the girls who do not know many men are introduced. Miss Marion Venable, who has directed the young people for the last two years, has also directed the floor show for tonight. It will be the "Gay Nineties" and promises to be amusing.

The lights in the ballroom will be red and green, carrying out the Christmas spirit, and a powerful spotlight will follow the dancers in their different sketches.

Popular Young Couple Married

Underwood & Underwood.

Miss Anne Powell Potts and Mr. Hans Faber, whose marriage is announced today, photographed at a party at the Mayflower several days ago.

Mrs. Swanson Is Honor Guest Of Mrs. Ellis

Swiss Minister and Wife Entertain Before Going to New England.

Mrs. Claude A. Swanson, wife of the Secretary of the Navy, was the guest in whose honor Mrs. Wade H. Ellis entertained at luncheon yesterday at her home on Massachusetts avenue.

The guests included Mrs. Homer S. Cummings, wife of the Attorney General; Mrs. Cary T. Grayson, Mrs. J. Crawford Biggs, Mrs. Henry L. Doherty, Mrs. James Watson, Mrs. Frank Fletcher, Mrs. George C. Thorpe, Mrs. Emerson Howe, Miss Janet Richards, Mrs Parker West, Mrs. Adolph Monaelesser, of New York, who is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ellis, and Miss Louella Chase, sister of Mrs. Ellis.

The Minister of Switzerland and Mme. Peter entertained at a small informal luncheon yesterday in the legation. They left Washington last evening for Boston, Mass., where they will spend the Christmas holidays with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Georges Peter, and their children.

Coming to Capital.

Mr. and Mrs. William Astor Drayton, of New York City, will come to Washington after the first of the year to spend the remainder of the season, and they will be in residence at the Wardman Park Hotel.

Invitations Issued For 3 Teas Dec. 29

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Paul Sullivan have issued invitations for a tea on Sunday afternoon, December 29, from 5 until 7 o'clock, when they will present their daughter, Miss Mannevillette Sullivan, to society.

Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan entertained at a buffet supper last evening in honor of their daughter, preceding the ball given by Mrs. James P. McKane, at the Mayflower Hotel, when she presented her daughter, Miss Katherine McCane, to society.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Ward have issued cards for a tea on Sunday, December 29, from 5 until 7 o'clock, at their home on Forest lane.

Dr. and Mrs. William Thornwall Davis have issued cards for an eggnog party on December 29 from 5 until 7 o'clock at their home on Lowell street.

Daniel Miller Dents Visiting in Bermuda

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Miller Dent who were married in Old Christ Church in Alexandria, Va., on December 6, are at the Inverurie in Hamilton, Bermuda, for a short time. Mrs. Dent is the former Miss Dorothy du Val Stuart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Stuart, of New York and Washington. Mr. Dent is the son of Mrs. James Robertson Miller Dent and the late Mr. Elbert Dent, of Maryland and Washington.

Anne P. Potts Becomes Bride Of Hans Faber

Marriage on October 11 Announced; To Reside in Capital.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Potts announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Anne Powell Potts, to Mr. Hans Robert Faber, of Weisbaden, Germany, and Washington. The marriage took place on October 11, and the announcement comes as a surprise to the many friends of the young couple. The bride made her debut in Washington last winter and has been a popular member of the younger set.

Mr. Faber is the son of Mrs. Theodore Faber and the late Mr. Faber, of Weisbaden. He has been making his home in Washington for the past few years.

The young couple will be at home at 1900 S street.

Stahrs Will Be Guests Of Hood College Alumnae

President and Mrs. Henry I. Stahr will be the guests of honor at a dinner to be given by the Washington Club of the Hood College Alumnae Association at Wesley Hall next Thursday at 6:30 p. m.

Invitations have been issued to alumnae, students, former students and their mothers.

Garden Group's Work Described By Mrs. Lewis

Women's Farm Organization Was Founded During World War.

By Dudley Harmon.

HAVE you heard of the Women's National Farm and Garden Association? If you were a farmer's wife you would know all about it, for this organization has helped thousands of farm women to create and market products made at home.

Yesterday Mrs. Howard Lewis, national president of the association, came from Philadelphia to meet with the Greater Capital division, which includes members from Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia and the District. After luncheon yesterday Mrs. Lewis had many interesting things to tell about the work of her organization.

The Women's National Farm and Garden Association was founded during the war by officials of the School of Horticulture at Amber, Pa. Now there are branches in every part of the country, which help countless farm wives to find a market for products which range all the way from canned vegetables to rabbit's fur.

Group Has Two Aims.

"We try to do two things," said Mrs. Lewis, "first, to advise women on what makes an article salable, and second, to put them in a position to sell it.

"In Boston, for example, we maintain a store which is a distributing agency for the products of farm women all over New England. Here they send the jellies or pickled beets or hooked rugs they make. If their jelly isn't up to par, we advise them how to make it better. If their hooked rugs are quaint, but inartistic, eyesores, we try to train them to use better designs and color schemes.

"In Valley Forge, Pa., a great quarry region, the inhabitants are mostly not-very-well-to-do foreigners. Among other things, we show them how to arrange fruit so it looks attractive to prospective customers. Then, from time to time, we arrange a sale in the community school house. From the money raised this way, we have been able to effect many improvements in the once dilapidated school. In addition, we teach the women of Valley Forge how to sew, knit and embroider.

Sectional Activities.

The association aims to fit the activities it sponsors to the different regions of the country. In Michigan, for example, where great pine forest extend for many miles, farm women are taught how to make and distribute Christmas wreaths. They do a big business at this season, according to Mrs. Lewis.

In the South, quilt making is the thing. Women also do a great deal of weaving in this part of the country, and the association arranges frequent sales of their handiwork.

"You would be surprised if you knew of some of the ingenious ways by which some farm wives raise money," said Mrs. Lewis. "An acquaintance of mine who lives in Benson, Vt., started raising rabbits some time ago. Now she has a store in Benson where she sells children's booties, sweaters, and caps made from rabbit's fur. She is making quite a bit of money at it."

The Pittsburgh branch of the association awards prizes to women for the best gardens. The Washington Club gives scholarships at a State agricultural college to women who pass certain home demonstration tests. In addition, the organization has this year improved the landscaping of the grounds of the local juvenile protective association.

She Instructs Farm Women

Mrs. Howard Lewis, of Philadelphia, helps farm women to market their products. She is president of the Women's National Farm and Garden Association, and met here yesterday with members of the District branch.

Post Staff Photo.

Financier Disproves the Belief Women Control Nation's Wealth

Available Statistics on Taxes, Insurance and Bank Deposits Are Misleading in Estimating Division of Money; Fair Sex Held Poor Investors.

MEN NEED NOT FEAR the financial dominance of women—yet awhile. According to Richard L. Farrelly, vice president of the United Endowment Foundation, men still control a major part of the Nation's wealth.

Pointing out that only 40 per cent of the clients of his foundation are women investors, Farrelly questions the oft-repeated statement that women control 75 per cent of the wealth of this country. In a report on this subject to the directors of his organization he says:

"It is difficult to estimate with any degree of accuracy the division of wealth between the sexes. The fact that most insurance policies are made payable to women does not in itself relinquish control of the money represented in insurance. Men have borrowed millions of dollars on their policies and millions more have been put in insurance trusts. The fact that residential real estate is registered in the name of a women may mean anything. It is a common practice to put property in a wife's name.

"The estimate that women control 75 per cent of the wealth of this country is also based, no doubt, on husband's and wife's income tax returns, despite the fact that in such consolidated returns the wife may participate to only a minor extent," Farrelly said. "Another factor is the contention that 65 per cent of accounts in savings banks are in women's names.

"It can be readily admitted that women exert a strong influence on 80 per cent of the retail buying in this country, which runs into billions of dollars annually, but careful study of available statistics would probably show that women do not control more than 40 per cent of the wealth of the country. Yet that is certainly a strong position and there is no need to exaggerate it.

"Despite the rise of women to power as holders of wealth," continues Farrelly, "it must be confessed that the fair sex has yet to learn much about investments and thrift. One of the large insurance companies has estimated that the average estate left by a man is dissipated by his widow within seven years.

"In my opinion the best method to save and invest, both for men and women, is through a trust fund administered by a bank."

Full Quota of Sleep Needed for Health

The strain of modern life has put a demand on the individual for more sleep, say heads of the Pennsylvania State department of health in a recent bulletin.

The health authorities urge that every person discover his minimum sleep requirements and develop his schedules to meet them.

The need of more sleep for children is emphasized by Dr. Paul A. Rothfuss, deputy secretary of health of the State. He says:

"The large amount of extracurricular activities, modern youthful recreations and home study undoubtedly have definitely dug in on the minimum sleep quota of a large number of school children, and this very much to their physical detriment."

Exchange Shut As Women Win Niche in World

Found to Be Outmoded Relic of Era When Fair Sex Labored at Home.

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 19.—The Woman's Industrial Exchange, for more than 50 years a factor in the business life of Milwaukee, is closing its doors.

Founded in 1882 on a capital of $3.06 "to help women help themselves," the exchange in recent years has discovered that women are helping themselves—through the mediums of modern business rather than over its counters.

"It's an anachronism now," says a member of the board, speaking of the exchange. "It was established in a day when women didn't go out to work. Today when a woman earns money she earns it on a job outside her home."

Like similar organizations, the Milwaukee exchange was founded primarily for the benefit of women. It took their handiwork—lace, doilies, fine needlework and baked goods—and sold them for a commission of 15 per cent.

"We can't compete with the department stores on factory-made work," says the board. "Unless our articles are carefully designed and beautifully made, we have no place in the present merchandise scheme."

For the last few years the restaurant operated in connection with the exchange has made up losses. Now even that is to be closed. It is the oldest downtown eating place in the city.

Closing of the exchange has its obstacles. There is cash on hand—represented in investments, chiefly, and rumored to amount to about $70,000. No one knows what to do with it.

Some of the directors favor creating pension funds. Some legal experts hold that funds of a philanthropic enterprise revert to the State when it disbands.

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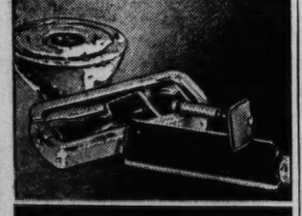
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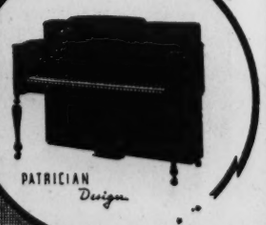
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Call Ruth Anne Davis, of The Washington Post, National 4200, Extension 323, for further information, or write, inclosing stamped, addressed envelope.

Apparel Always Welcome Gift

Three gift suggestions for men are pictured above: Solid color cashmere muffler (rhoose it to match his ties); braided leather belt packaged in neat cigarette box, and shirred back pajamas (a la Gable) reposing in book-like container.

Mere Man, Down in His Heart, Wants to Show He Can Cook

Now Comes the Suggestion That Boys Study Domestic Science in School; Here's a Recipe for Beef Stew.

By Elisabeth Ellicott Poe.

WHEN the man of any family decides that he will prepare "Sunday night supper for a change," he is trying to work off on the household some favorite recipe of his own which he is quite certain he can cook to the queen's taste.

Although many of them will not acknowledge it, men enjoy nothing more than a chance to invade the province of the homemaker to test their culinary skill. Of course, many of the leading chefs of the world are men, and many notable men are renowned for cooking ability as well as proficiency in other arts.

Cooking, whether done by a man or a woman, is a fine art. Someone suggested that courses in cooking and domestic science should be available for boys in our public schools as well as for girls. And why not? There will be many a crisis in the average household when the man of the family's cooking skill will come in most handy. No less a person than the late President Theodore Roosevelt was noted for his skill in broiling steaks and out-of-doors cookery. Through the Boy Scouts and kindred organizations boys of today are learning the secrets of camp cooking.

Some time when the mother of a family is ill, and a group of hungry children are clamoring for their suppers, father might find this bean pot stew most handy, and what could be more satisfying to healthy young appetites?

Beef Stew.

Take 1 pound beef (bottom of round), one onion, two small sliced carrots, one small white turnip sliced, one-half can peas, four tablespoons vinegar, four tablespoons rolled oats or tapioca, one teaspoon salt, three cloves, water and three potatoes.

Cut the meat into cubes, brown with onion in a small amount of fat, and add with carrots, turnips and peas to greased bean pot. Add remaining ingredients except potatoes, cover with water and bake in a moderate oven. Add potatoes for the last hour of cooking.

Ten-to-one, when a man is asked to get Sunday night supper, he will decide on making a Welsh rarebit. To make one is not so simple as it may sound. It can be spoiled with too much rash mixing, and if not stirred sufficiently while being cooked it will lack the creamy smoothness which is one of its real charms. Here is a reliable recipe:

One tablespoon butter, one teaspoon cornstarch, one-half cup thin cream, one-fourth teaspoon salt, one-half pound soft, mild cheese cut in small pieces, one-fourth teaspoon mustard, few grains cayenne pepper and toast or wafer crackers.

Melt butter, add cornstarch and stir until well mixed. Add cream gradually while stirring constantly and cook two minutes. Add cheese and stir until cheese is melted. Season and serve on wafer crackers, or bread toasted on one side, rarebit being poured over the untoasted side.

Much of the success of a rarebit depends upon the quality of the cheese. A rarebit should be smooth and of a creamy consistency, never stringy. If stringy, add one egg slightly beaten.

PLEASANT HOMES

By Elizabeth MacRae Boykin.

THERE'S NOTHING THAT THRILLS a little girl like yards of pretty goods and a chance at the family sewing machine. So, mother, let her try her hand at making her own Christmas presents this year. There are ever so many useful things she could make if you keep your eye on the work and help untangle the knots. Here are some of the things she might make for aunties and cousins who will treasure her own sewing: Brilliant linen kitchen towels . . . get bright red, bright blue and bright green linen for half a dozen kitchen towels in assorted colors . . . hem them with stitching in a contrasting color or in white.

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Shoe bags to go on the inside of closet doors are always useful and can be made out of pretty flowered chintz finished with bias tape. A bridge set of white dotted swiss finished with red bias tape with four little refreshment napkins to match. A large size sachet holder for lingerie . . . about 24 inches square . . . made of flowered taffeta and filled with cotton batting and sachet powder . . . then tufted with embroidery silk.

Send a stamp for Miss Boykin's bulletin, "Twelve Ideas for Making Your Bed Pretty," suggesting spreads for gifts.

Choosing Yule Gifts Requires Discrimination

Apparel Is Held Excellent Christmas Present if Well Selected.

By Robert Fairchild,

Of Men's Wear Magazine.

ONE of the things I feel strongly about is the Christmas-to-New Year's week. There is something so significant in the turn of the year, both for our individual lives and our community life, that the idea, for instances, of mutual giftmaking at this season is a wholly natural and human one.

Which is undoubtedly one of the reasons why Christmas gifts can go further sour than those of any other season in the event they do not suit the recipient. Discrimination in selectng a gift for a friend is quite as much a testimony of your regard for him as the act of giving itself.

Apparel as gifts is an excellent idea, but one that calls for your considerate discrimination. I cannot attempt in this column to cover the entire field, but I shall make a few suggestions, both specific and general, that may aid your choice.

Pajamas, Mufflers.

A special item in this field is the pajama which is illustrated. Its box is like a book cover, in attractive colors. Within, the pajamas repose (proper state for pajamas!) neatly and with aplomb. One type of such pajama, by the way, has the shirred-back jacket which Clark the Gable made famous in the field of suits.

A muffler is always a good idea—but again, be discriminate. I know a solid-color cashmere muffler, both fabric and finished article made by the same mill, which is a perfect gift in any of the nine colors in which it is made—provided you select that color with proper regard to the person for whom it is intended. A good guide is the color of his neckties, of course.

Besides cashmeres, there are patterned knitted wool mufflers, striped and figured affairs, and, of course, white silks for evening.

Dual-Purpose Package.

I illustrated last week several belts and suspenders, in attractive dual-purpose packaging. The package was an extra gift. I show another one of these this week, in which the package is a cigarette box after the belt is removed.

The traditionally sour Christmas gift, of course, is the necktie. Again, if that little bit of discrimination and thought be applied to your selection, there is no need to go wrong. Neckwear styles this season include, as I have explained earlier in the season, the wide-spaced bold figures on a dark background, the plaids, and that very smartest of new notions, the broken-stripe.

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Strictly Speaking

Define and Pronounce.

1. Paronomasia.
2. Impletion.

1. A play upon words; a figure by which words similar in sound are set in opposition for the sake of antithetical effect; punning; a pun. Par-o-no-MAY-zhy-a.

2. A filling; state of being full. Im-PLEE-shun.

Psychiatry Aid Best for Child Who Stutters

By Alice Clarissa Richmond.

ACCORDING to legend, Demosthenes put pebbles in his mouth when he made an oration. Demosthenes is said to have been a stutterer.

Unfortunately few stutterers compensate so completely for their handicap, and few have the patience or persistence to overcome it.

It begins in childhood, and is quite serious enough in its results to make immediate attention advisable. Generally the stutterer is of the neurotic type, nervously high-strung and somewhat suggestible. It does no good to correct the child or to tell him to speak slowly or to choose his words carefully.

A good physician may advise taking the child to a psychiatrist for study, and if it is possible to do this it is probably the wisest step. Psychiatrists are expensive and their work is necessarily slow in producing results. If, however, the choice lies between the present expense and the child's future success in life, the immediate drain on the family finances should be met if it is in any way possible.

This BUSINESS of LIVING

By Mary Haworth.

DEAR MISS HAWORTH: I am planning to have a birthday party during the Christmas holidays. I will be 21 years old. What would you suggest to serve? Would it be all right to serve ice cream, cake, candy and nuts? Would you give me the names of some good games and the rules for playing them? I would appreciate an early reply. DORIS B.

Food Is Important.

DEAR DORIS B.: It would be perfectly all right, of course, to serve ice cream, cake, candy and nuts at your birthday party. But since the success of any party depends in large measure on the food served, it might be even better to provide assorted sandwiches and hot coffee as a first course.

The sandwiches would be comparatively inexpensive and easy to make. A loaf of white bread, one of brown bread and one of whole wheat should be sliced thin. Spread with creamed cheese or any other potted spread mixed with mayonnaise. Apply the top covering of the sandwich. Pare away the crust. Slice the square into two triangles, and it is ready to serve. Place several sandwiches and a pickle or an olive or two on each plate, with a cup of coffee and a small napkin. Cream and sugar can be offered from a tray.

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For the second course, offer the ice cream and cake — sliced fruit cake or small cakes will do equally well. Nuts may be passed as the ice cream and cake disappears. If yours is to be an afterdinner party, serve the food about 10 o'clock.

As I have stated before in this column, I am no authority on games and their rules. However, you should be able to find books on this subject at all bookstores and libraries and in novelty goods stores and department stores which handle games and books.

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The party might get under way with fortune telling, if you can persuade some old family friend or the aunt or mother of one of your guests—who knows well all the young persons in your group—to play the role of mysterious seer. Such a person could be provided with a description of each guest, and with all available information about his or her current heart interest, ambition in life, and recognized virtues and weaknesses. Appropriately costumed and disguised, and enthroned in a dim-lit room, she could voice promises and warnings to delight the heart of all, and to break the ice by creating a merry hub-bub of conversation. M. H.

Skin Sensitivity May Produce Asthma, Hay Fever, in Winter

By Dr. Irving S. Cutter.

WE ARE likely to think skin sensitivity (urticaria, hives or eczema) as manifesting itself particularly during the warm weather. While we absorb more foreign protein, such as pollens, during the plant-growing season, yet the cold period brings its own group of allergic symptoms.

Some persons will exhibit protein sensitivity only in summer, others only in colder weather, and still others—a group that deserves our deepest sympathy—will respond to one set of irritants in the summer and another set in the winter. Occasionally patients who go South to escape the rigors of a Northern winter will develop unexpected asthmatic symptoms or many of the indications of hay fever, including sneezing, itching, watering of the eyes, and obstruction of the nasal passages.

During the cold season, regardless of latitude, the skin of certain individuals is more sensitive. For example, a number of patients will show a marked irritation of the skin on using a particular type of soap, the hands and even the forearms being covered with a scaly, eczemalike eruption.

There is very little difference between winter and summer in those who are sensitive to foods except that green vegetables are less common and more preserved foods are used.

Sensitivity to house dust will usually become worse during the colder months because of longer hours of confinement in the home.

Another source of sensitivity, namely infected sinuses, can be helped by adequate drainage or treatment.

There seems to be no contradictory evidence to the belief that colds predispose to protein sensitivity. The swollen, inflamed nasal mucous membranes will absorb more readily than a normally resistant structure and we not infrequently observe a cold that hangs on for a considerable period of time interrupted or followed by an attack of asthma.

In from 60 to 70 per cent of the cases, by means of proper tests (and sometimes two or three score or more will be required, the offending substances can be found. The remedy then lies in avoiding contact with the toxic protein or in developing an immunity to it. To render the patient nonsensitive requires an accurate diagnosis as well as a thorough knowledge of the manifold problems of allergy.

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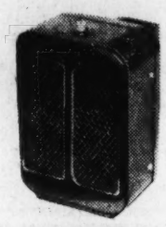

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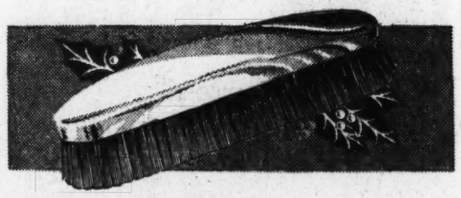

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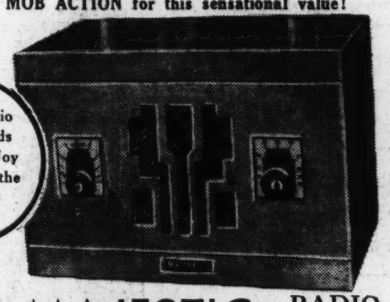

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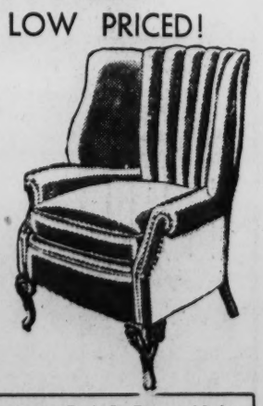

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Gaming Raids Nab 19 Near White House

Police Use Marked Bills to Clinch Evidence of Race Betting.

One Place in Building Occupied by Army Judge Advocate.

Gambling raids twice yesterday shattered the calm of the neighborhood near the White House and the State, War and Navy Building, sending 19 men in patrol wagons to be booked at police headquarters.

On the seventh floor of the Otis Building, on Eighteenth street just off Pennsylvania avenue, where for five full stories below, the Army's judge advocate general has his offices, the police raided one office.

Its glass door had a sign, reading: "————, Sales, Walk In."

In the 600 block of Seventeenth street northwest, they previously had swooped down on another place, masked by a tiny bootblack shop.

Sergt. George Deyoe, who headed four policemen, accompanied by United States Marshal Thomas Ott, in the Otis Building raid, discovered one calling card that he carried away.

It was a card of admission to a gambling house in the 1300 block of E street northwest, formerly owned by the recently murdered gambling king of Washington, Eddie Killeen.

"We raided that last year," Deyoe remarked. "That's where we got Al Sutton."

He said he did not know whether the two places had any connection.

Twelve men were in the Otis Building office when the police arrived. Deyoe flung open the glass entrance door, and found a doorkeeper seated at a desk in the front room. Old copies of the Saturday Evening Post, Collier's, and the Ladies' Home Journal were on the desk.

Racing Charts Seized.

A door leading to another room was closed. Deyoe kicked it open. Eleven men were inside. In the room also were three telephones, two racing charts pasted on the wall, a quantity of racing and football slips scattered over the tables, closets and floor, an adding machine in a closet, and a half-open safe containing bottles.

The men submitted smilingly and were herded into an elevator by two policemen. At headquarters three were booked on a charge of setting up a gaming table. They described themselves as George William Sullivan, 35, of the 4800 block Forty-first street northwest; Horace LeRoy Atwill, 29, of the 1200 block L street northwest, and William Jefferson Coleman, 63, of the 2100 block H street northwest. They were held on $2,000 bond each. Nine others were released, to be summoned as Government witnesses later.

Deyoe said a complaint had reached the vice squad a week ago, and that a policeman had been making bets with marked money in the place for a week.

Several hours previously, Private William McEwen led the Seventeenth street raiders and arrested Sam Leipziger, 50, of the 900 block Crittenden street northwest, charging him with setting up a gaming table, holding him on $2,000 bond. Six others were rounded up, but later released. McEwen and the police seized some trading slips.

What's Going On and Where

Today's Events.

Luncheons.

Reciprocity Club, Lafayette Hotel, 12:30 p. m.

Knights of the Round Table, University Club, 12:30 p. m.

Phi Delta Phi Fraternity, University Club, 1 p. m.

Kappa Sigma Fraternity, University Club, 12:30 p. m.

Massachusetts Institute of Technology Alumni, University Club, 12:30 p. m.

District of Columbia Bankers Association, Willard Hotel, 12:45 p. m.

M. & M. Store Managers, Raleigh Hotel, 12:30 p. m.

Meetings.

Glover Park Citizens Association, Industrial Home School, 8 p. m.

Rothstein Dental Laboratories, Mayflower Hotel, 8 p. m.

Dinners.

St. John's Lodge Officers, Hamilton Hotel, 7:30 p. m.

Department of Agriculture, Hamilton Hotel, 6 p. m.

North Woodside—Montgomery Hills Citizens Association, 8 p. m., 1209 Glen Ross road, North Woodside, Md.

The regular concert of the Marine Band scheduled to be held at the Marine Barracks will not be held today.

Calvert St. Bridge Is Dedicated In Midst of Great Blare and Glare

Long arch-borne span across the valley of Rock Creek, Calvert Street Bridge, 17 months in construction, had its last moment free from traffic just before its second lane finally was opened and the bridge dedicated with a parade and speeches last night.

30,000 See Span Pelted by Music and Bathed by Spotlights.

In and above the valley of Rock Creek, where violet and green and red spotlights played upon the three limestone-faced arches, 30,000 Washingtonians and a United States Senator from Oklahoma last night formally opened the new $1,175,000 Calvert Street Bridge.

Actually, half of it had been open to traffic since October 14.

Two little girls—Geraldine Clark, 4, daughter of the Assistant Engineer Commissioner, serious and soulfully brunette, and tinier, smiling Ann Laser, 6, with a big blue ribbon in her tumbled yellow curls—snipped the white tape that let traffic through for the first time along both lanes.

Then the parade swung across—big black limousines, carrying Commissioners Melvin C. Hazen and Dan I. Sultan and Board of Trade and citizens' leaders.

1,413 Are in Parade.

Off to Connecticut avenue, the parade blared; then up to Woodley road; and so to Cathedral avenue and down into the valley of Rock Creek.

The reviewing stand was halfway down the valley, and half the parade never got there—three sections, the labor, commercial, and American Legion groups, were disbanded on Woodley road to save reviewing time so that the reviewers might go on farther down the valley to the speakers' stand in time for the radio program.

All told, the full parade had 1,413 participants, in 106 automobiles and five floats; it had 10 bands; and it took 35 minutes to pass Eighteenth street and Kalorama road.

It came off a-sounding—the Army Band, in big black overcoats, a bass drum being trundled on two wheels; the 121st Engineers, who, unfortunately, were ordered to "eyes right" instead of to the stand on the left; Central High School's cadets, shivering in light blue jackets; Sons of the American Legion, little, but, oh, my; and all the rest.

Speeches, Music, Dances.

Just below the bridge, beneath the Cathedral span, the speech-making took place and the other ceremonies—dances by Friendship House and Christ Child Society and Neighborhood House girls, while green-clad Girl Scouts stood at attention; the music by the Navy Band; the spotlighting of the bridge.

Red magnesium flares threw a weird glow over all those seated. Once or twice, a toy pistol banged or a boy smashed a thrown-away photographer's bulb or flash powder exploded alarmingly.

George C. Shinn, celebration chairman, presided. The Right Rev. James E. Freeman, Episcopal bishop of Washington, asked an invocation. Capt. Herbert C. Whitehurst, highway director, said the bridge was now turned over to the Commissioners.

Post Staff Photos.

Geraldine Clark (left) and Ann Laser open the bridge. Behind are, left to right, George C. Shinn, Harriet Whitehurst, Capt. Whitehurst, Commissioner Hazen, Bishop Freeman and Senator Elmer Thomas.

Built by Gasoline Taxes.

Commissioner Sultan said:

"It is a monument to the engineering profession, a thing of beauty that should serve for many years to come—I hope for a century."

Commissioner Hazen said:

"It is a magnificent Christmas gift to the City of Washington."

Senator Elmer Thomas, of Oklahoma, who guides District appropriations through the upper House, said:

"This is the bridge that gasoline built. It was paid for out of gasoline taxes, most of it, not all of them paid by residents of the District. Pennies for this bridge came from residents of Virginia and Maryland, even of foreign countries. This is one of the wonders of Washington."

Not the least proud of all those spectators was the president of the Board of Commissioners, derby-hatted Hazen, who was a surveyor for the District government 41 years ago, and who surveyed the line for the old iron street car viaduct that stood there for so many years.

P. U. C. Hears Workers Cite Subway Need

U. S. Employes' Unions Propose Underground Transit Line.

Crowding of Cars, Buses Denounced; Universal Transfers Asked.

Street-car subways were proposed by representatives of Government employes unions at public hearings before the Public Utilities Commission yesterday.

Nothing but a subway would attract former passengers back to the lines of the Capital Transit Co., declared Paul R. Hutchins, representing the NRA local of the Government Employes Union. Speed, efficiency and safety are sadly lacking in the present service, he said.

Sentiment in favor of subways "has grown to such an extent that it is the opinion of many that the only solution of our future transportation difficulties lies in the construction of adequate underground transportation," W. E. Hoffheins, chairman of the utilities committee of the District Federation of Federal Employes Unions, said

"A subway," he added, "will not remedy the defects in the present transportation equipment, but we feel that the commission can, by the authority it possesses, compel the necessary service of good character, and failing in this recommend the voiding of the franchise and the placing of the operation of the transportation lines in other hands."

Need for Subways.

Need for subways was deprecated by H. M. Fulton, of the Logan-Thomas Circle Citizens Association. The so-called congested area of the city was too small to justify the expenditure, he said, adding that he believed engineers might work out something better in the near future. The real need of the downtown section is a system of short hauls, Mr. Fulton said.

Development of subways has been urged in the past by William A. Roberts, people's counsel. The company and others have opposed the plan as too expensive.

Hutchins proposes the most extensive subway plan yet advanced. He suggests subways from the south end of Taft Bridge through the congested downtown area, and into the Southeast section of the city.

Car Overcrowding.

Overcrowding of street cars and buses is dangerous to health, according to Dr. L. F. Keebler, 1322 Park road northwest. He represented the Columbia Heights Business Men's Association and the Columbia Heights Forum.

"Washington," Dr. Keebler said, "has the second highest tuberculosis death rate of any large city in the country. Communicable diseases undoubtedly are spread by persons in these overcrowded buses and cars, particularly among those persons compelled to stand with their heads near the tops of the buses. Improved ventilation would improve conditions, but it will not correct the danger. Undoubtedly there are some of us in this very room who are affected with tuberculosis without knowing it."

"I am speaking for all women straphangers," Mrs. Edna Rankin McKinnon, 2700 Q street northwest, said in protesting against overcrowded buses. "Since buses have been substituted for the P street car line I haven't been able to get a seat in a bus, coming downtown during the morning business rush. I have hung onto straps and grabrails until I am sore."

"They pack us in until the machines are crowded," she added. "By the time 20 or 30 persons pushed past you getting on and off buses your clothes are so mussed and your nerves are so wrought up you are in no condition to go to work."

Dangerous to Health.

"Overcrowding of buses is dangerous to pedestrians and automobile drivers as well as bus riders when the driver can not see out," J. B. Richards, of the Forest Hills Association, complained.

Payment of dividends to the owners of the Transit Co. should be stopped until adequate service is given the public, Lieut. Col. H. C. Clark said. He denounced the corporations which controlled the utilities. "The root of the whole matter lies in the North American Co., which controls the Capital Transit Co.," he said.

Universal transfers, which had been advocated by Mrs. McKinnon, Hoffheins and others, also were urged by Mrs. R. D. Rands, of the Sixteenth Street Heights Citizens Association. Mrs. Rands suggested universal transfers and a uniform single fare on all bus and car lines, including those of the Washington Rapid Transit Co.

Demand for "equality of consideration for the benefits of a public utility" was made by Frederick B. Pelham, 152 T street northwest, representing the Howard Park Citizens Association.

"Before the merger we had fairly good transit facilities that allowed us to go out and return to our homes. Soon after the merger the Public Utilities Commission very precipitously allowed the abandonment of the LeDroit Park street car service. With little or no regard for our rights or desires the banana line,' so-called by our children because the cars generally ran in bunches, was thrown into the discard," he said.

Bus Loop.

The Capital Transit Co. furnished what they called a substitute, a bus loop that was soon dubbed the "Nixie" line—because at times the bus did not run at all. After one breakdown of bus No. 206, I with others waited for 45 minutes for a replacement."

The hearing is to resume at 11 a. m. today. At 10 a. m. the commission will hold another public hearing to consider the proposal of the Capital Transit Co. to assign the "properties, rights and franchises" of four company subsidiary corporations.

"I'm Losted"

Post Staff Photo.

Is what little Donna Williams, 5, said yesterday when she went up to a man on the street near Franklin Park, where her mother, Mrs. Leighton Williams, had left her to play while she went shopping. Here she is in the Receiving Home waiting for her parents, who learned her whereabouts from police and last night took her back to her home at 1209 L street northwest.

Bias Charged In School Quiz Of Red Books

Ballou's Closest Friends Comprise Committee, Says Sullivan.

Further Steps Planned by Citizens' Group, Chairman States.

Bias was charged to the Board of Education's textbook investigating committee yesterday by the chairman of the citizens' committee that originally charged the four investigated books with the taint of communism.

The chairman, George E. Sullivan, of the Federation of Citizens Associations, issued a formal statement criticizing the committee report that had exonerated the textbooks.

"What we have already revealed," he said, "is too sound and unanswerable to be casually brushed away by the Board of Education or by any group selected by it. In striking contrast to the unbiased composition of our committee, the membership of the Maurer committee is composed, as is well known, of three of the closest friends of Dr. Ballou (Frank W. Ballou, superintendent of schools), the very person who had approved the textbooks under investigation."

Considers Further Steps.

Sullivan said his committee, which includes Mrs. George A. Corbin and Harry N. Stull, would meet within a few days to consider "further steps to be taken." He also accused the Board of Education of having dealt evasively with the committee's charges against the magazine, Scholastic, now used in the schools.

On Wednesday, the board said all magazines used in the schools were being re-examined by school administrative officers in an effort to reduce their number.

Sullivan repeated his contention that the citizens' investigation was interested only in truth, and he said:

"My own original investigation into school textbooks was begun in the confident belief that the public could be reassured thereby that communism was only being mentioned in the public schools in a way to safeguard and protect the pupils against it.

"It was most amazing to find the contrary to be the case."

Legion Studies Report.

American Legion officials, carrying on another private study of school textbooks and the character education experiment, said yesterday they were still studying the report filed by the board committee led by Robert A. Maurer.

Dr. Ballou held his December meeting with the administrative officers and supervisors in the Franklin Building, and asked them to submit reports of patriotic observances habitually carried on in the schools.

Good Morning

Last invitation to those who wish to take advantage of our gift monograms in time for Christmas giving. If you order no later than today, we will embroider a handsome monogram without additional charge on shirts or anything else that can be embroidered for delivery before Christmas. The monogram is our gift, please accept it.

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SATURDAY, December 21, is the last day to turn in your scrapbooks for the "Story of Our Country" contest. Due to the many requests for the return of these books after the contest, we wish to announce that if you desire to keep your book for your school history work, or otherwise, you may get it on the 2d floor, Boy Scout Department, from Thursday, December 26, to Monday, December 30. No books will be returned by mail. After this date all remaining books will be turned over to the SHUT-IN CHILDREN of Washington.

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Pat O'Brien Bids Washington an Affectionate Farewell as He Plans New Visit

Popular Player Expands Act to Half-Hour 'Bit'

Wants to Return With His Old Side-Kick of Stock Days, Frank McHugh.

By Nelson B. Bell.

The valedictory of Pat O'Brien, closing a week of personal appearances at the Earle Theater last night, was an occasion of utmost happiness.

Having expanded his first-day stint on the stage from a scant eight minutes to last evening's 28, Pat was in especially fine fettle.

In bidding the Capital a reluctant farewell, he also held out the hope that within the next six or eight months he and Frank McHugh, one of the comic mainsprings with him in "Stars Over Broadway," will return as a clowning team whose fulminations might be worth a little critical examination.

Not having seen his act since the opening performance a week ago today, I was surprised last night to observe, from a backstage vantage point with Audrey Sieber, Guy Wonders, Harry Lohmeyer and a few others of the local Warner staff, that Pat had included a pretty accurate impersonation of the late Bert Williams' "silent poker game" pantomime from an ancient vintage of "The Follies" into his turn. Not bad. Afterward Pat confessed to a long-standing admiration of the West Indian sepia actor which is wholly shared by this department.

Was British Subject.

Bert was a British West Indian—born on one of the Windward Islands, if memory serves aright, as it frequently does not—who gained the respect of every white player with whom he ever was associated by reason of his fine appreciation of what might transpire in other minds than his own if camaraderie ever was carried too far. Bert never carried it that far.

It is a fine tribute to his memory that so able a young actor as Pat O'Brien should care to perpetuate one of the most effective of the Williams "acts" by skillful impersonation this long after his death.

One of the most eloquent testimonials to the worth of Bert Williams was the late Will Rogers' fine sense of friendship to a colored man with whom he shared many of the honors of the "Follies" while the late Flo Ziegfeld still was alive to keep them going.

An artist recognized the value of an artist!

But this all is getting a long way away from Pat O'Brien and his local week.

Pat is intensely earnest in his admiration of the National Capital and his equally bona-fide sense of gratitude to Washington audiences for the welcome they have afforded him on his stage appearances here.

Something of the popularity of this fellow may be gathered from the fact that Frank La Falce, in charge of the Warner publicity department, was forced to double an order of 150 photographs of Pat for his personal signature to appease resident autograph hunters.

He was still at the business of signing his name when I left him after the last stage show last night, preparatory to a session at the home of Zone Manager John J. Payette, which, in turn, was preliminary to joining Mrs. O'Brien in New York today and departing for Hollywood tomorrow or next day.

Telegram a Yard Long.

Among Pat's valued souvenirs of his Washington engagement was a westernunion telegram of good luck wishes signed by a million, more or less, members of the Lambs Club in New York, which I have before me as this is written.

It bears the names, among many others, of such distinguished thespians, vaudevillians, specialists, etcetera, as Ralph Riggs, George M. Cohan, William Gaxton, Victor Moore—recently seen her in "Anything Goes," at the National—Robert Haines, Oswald Yorke, Alexander Clark, Charles Dow Clark, Jack Pegler—brother of The Post's Westbrook and an old pal of this column's—Forrest Orr, of the last several editions of the National Theater Players; Vaughan Glaser, Donald Brian, the original Prince Danilo in "The Merry Widow;" Alexander Grey, John Boyle, Brandon Tynan, Bob Pitkin, recently of the Odeon Players here; Oscar Shaw and, as I have said, a million more.

Pat is the sort of chap that inspires such tributes of affection and respect. We hereby sign our name vicariously to that telegram!

Hereafter, I suspect, this department of this elegant family journal will rate its reviews of motion-picture releases, as they reveal themselves upon the local first-run screens, on the basis of "A" rankings.

One "A" will mean poor, two "A's" fair, three "A's" good, four "A's" excellent and five "A's" superlative.

This is hazardous business, rating pictures by "A's"—which happen to be The Post's substitution for stars—but since no other Washington paper is committing itself quite so definitely, we will undertake the matter and, I hope, stand the gaff, for wrong guesses.

This will begin with tomorrow's formal reviews of the new bills, unless we miss our guess—as we frequently do.

Stars Over Washington.

This might, with something like impunity, be termed "All-Star Week" in our smug little National Capital—the National Capital being neither little nor smug.

I mean to say that with Charlie MacArthur joining his brilliant young actress wife, Helen Hayes, in "Victoria Regina," at the National; Nancy Carroll here at the Mayflower and Jane Froman in town for her opening at the Earle today, the town fairly is bulging with illustrious talent.

What Miss Carroll might be doing here I have no notion whatsoever, having been adequately occupied with Pat O'Brien's farewell last night.

Mr. MacArthur, of course, always is a welcome addition to the local ranks of the writing craft, since, after all, he primarily is a newspaper guy. Ben Hecht, his wife and sundry others denominating him "playwright" notwithstanding.

He has done some fair jobs, at that, what with "Rasputin and the Empress," "The Scoundrel" and whatnot.

Anyhow, here they are, so what?

It is Jerry Gross, my pinch-hitter—and an excellent one—at vacation time, who sends along this item.

A Queen looked at a cat yesterday.

Appropriately enough, the cat was a king in his own right. He was Josef, prize lion of National Zoological Park. His visitor was Miss Helen Hayes, better known in her native Washington this week as Victoria Regina.

The actress had the time of her life at the Zoo. She almost jumped into the arms of her guide, Director William M. Mann, when Josef emitted a deafening roar. She gasped in astonishment as the hooded cobra, goaded into fury by a keeper's teasing rod, spread himself and struck out with his fangs.

She laughed out loud (sic) when Oscar, the huge snapping turtle, went into his tank routine.

The Queen by night (and two matinees a week) fed peanuts to the monkeys, said she would like to answer a curtain call with a puff adder across her shoulders and had to be restrained from putting her hand between the bars to pet the three jaguars.

"I'm so glad I did'nt wear a fur coat," she said as the inspection party passed a pair of growling leopards.

Word-to-Wise Note.

Here they are, pouring in at the rate of a thousand a minute. And, as usual, I am 'way back there in the ruck.

To be succinct about it, look for my Christmas card along about the ides of March.

March doesn't 'ide from me as successfully as December!

Film Table

Feature pictures and stage bills are presented on the following schedules at the theaters named:

Loew's Fox—"Charlie Chan's Secret," at 11 a. m., 1:45, 4.30, 7:15 and 10 p. m. Stage shows at 12:30, 3:15, 6:05 and 8:50 p. m.

Earle—"Miss Pacific Fleet," at 11 a. m., 1:30, 4:20, 7:10 and 10 p. m. Stage shows with Jane Froman in person, at 12:40, 3:30, 6:20 and 9:10 p. m.

RKO-Keith's—"Another Face," at 11:15 a. m., 1:04, 2:55, 4:42, 6:31, 8:20 and 10:09 p. m.

Palace—"In Old Kentucky," at 11:30 a. m., 1:35, 3:35, 5:35, 7:40 and 9:40 p. m.

Metropolitan—"Man of Iron," at 11 a. m., 12:45, 2:35, 4:25, 6:15, 8 and 9:50 p. m.

Columbia—"The Gay Deception," at 11:55 a. m., 1:55, 3:50, 5:50, 7:45 and 9:45 p. m.

Belasco—"Mimi," at 12:53, 2:59, 4:02, 6:08, 8:06 and 10:10 p. m.

Tivoli—"Frisco Kid," at 2, 3:50, 5:45, 7:40 and 9:35 p. m.

Ambassador—"Barbary Coast," at 6:15, 8 and 9:45 p. m.

Little—"Man on Flying Trapeze," at 11:37 a. m., 1:20, 3:03, 4:46, 6:29, 8:12 and 9:55 p. m.

Show Girl's Ex-Spouse Freed; Saw Death Leap

San Francisco, Dec. 19 (AP).—Thomas L. Matkins, former husband of Olga Steck, was released from police custody today after admitting he saw the one-time Ziegfeld beauty leap to her death from his twelfth-story window, climaxing a quarrell over money.

Matkins, who previously had claimed he did not witness the tragedy yesterday, was taken into custody for questioning last night.

Matkins was released pending an inquest tomorrow.

She Crashes Local Screen Today

This is a young Hollywood actress who appears in her first picture with Wallace Ford in "Another Face," opening on the screen at RKO-Keith's Theater and continuing only through Christmas Eve, when it will be succeeded by Katharine Hepburn in "Sylvia Scarlett." Her name, if you are still interested, is Phyllis Brooks. There is a bit of plastic surgery in the plot of "Another Face" that harks clear back to "Skin Deep." Or don't you remember Milton Sills?

Postlude

By Ray C. B. Brown.

Concert by the Philadelphia Orchestra (Alexander Smallens, conductor; Fritz Kreisler, soloist) in Constitution Hall Thursday night. Program: Overture to "Beatrice et Benedict" (Berlioz), Symphony in D Minor (Schumann), Concerto for violin in D major (Brahms).

Leopold Stokowski, or his physician, disappointed a capacity audience gathered in Constitution Hall last night to enjoy a promised treat of Bach and Brahms and the rare combination of Stokowski and Kreisler. Brahms was forthcoming, with the inimitable Mr. Kreisler as the eloquent interpreter, but Bach and his transcriber were absent. A telegram, read from the stage, expressed Mr. Stokowski's regrets that he could not be present because he was under medical orders of absolute rest to recover from a painful ligament strain sustained while conducting a recent concert.

Alexander Smallens, a good man for such an emergency, was unfortunately not able to carry on the original program, since there had been no time for him to rehearse the Bach transcriptions, with which he is unfamiliar. He accordingly stepped into the breach with the rarely heard overture of Berlioz and the romantic Schumann symphony. The audience accepted the situation, and gave Mr. Smallens the cordial reception he deserved.

Berlioz's short opera, "Beatrice et Benedict," was produced in Baden in 1862, and its subsequent career was inglorious. The overture has survived, although its performances are infrequent. It is a brightly colored piece, full of a chattering vivacity and cleverly tricked out in the typical instrumentation of the composer.

Schumann's D minor symphony is generally called his fourth, although it was composed in 1841, five years before the second and nine years before the third. It was written just after his wonderful outburst of songs, and is filled with a fine lyric passion. Mr. Smallens gave it an impetuous and forceful reading which was eminently satisfactory as a disclosure of its beauties.

The climax of the concert was, of course, Fritz Kreisler's splendid performance of the Brahms concerto which stands next to Beethoven's in power and nobility. Mr. Kreisler, who is playing this season as he has not played for years, was at the apex of his artistic form. His reading of the lovely work was instinct with poetic feeling and masterly in musicianship.

He was recalled at the close half a dozen times while the house waxed uproariously enthusiastic and the orchestra members sat applauding as vehemently. Many of the auditors, hoping for an extra number, did not leave their seats until Mr. Kreisler appeared the last time without his violin. The warmth of the ovation was testimony to the fact that the occasion was memorable.

Training School Play.

Celebration of Christmas by children at the District Training School at Laurel, Md., which was begun yesterday with a Christmas play for the colored children, will be continued today with a similar play for the white children at the institution, Dr. James Lewald, superintendent, announced yesterday.

Hollywood

By Sidney Skolsky

Movie Boners.

Hollywood, Dec. 19.

LILY PONS in the flicker "I Dream Too Much" finds Henry Fonda driving a taxicab and he takes her to dine at the taximen's cafe. When they leave the restaurant, Fonda drives Miss Pons in his taxi again, but now the cab is a new spiffy job, claims Sol Rolland, not the one he had when they entered the restaurant.

And George Brent does the usual movie telephone trick in "In Person," according to E. Zille. Mr. Brent goes into the country store where he is unknown, asks to use the telephone, calls long distance, deposits no money, and gets his number. Then Mr. Brent purchases a few articles, which he pays for, but no mention is made of the phone charge here.

It must be very nice to make phone calls, especially long distance, and have no one ask you to pay for the calls.

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There is a sequence in "She Couldn't Take It" in which George Raft and Joan Bennett are at Coney Island, and they are looking at a car, formerly owned by Raft, now on exhibition. Raft tells the people the car used to be his and then puts Miss Bennett into the car and starts to drive away. It is night when they start off and they ride until daylight, and Howard Jackson claims a flicker flaw. He wants to know haw a car on exhibition would have that much gas in the tank.

Even if the car weren't on exhibition it would be a good trick to contain gas enough for that lengthy drive. But nothing daunts a movie hero and heroine—and director.

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Francis Lederer in "The Gay Deception," after abandoning Frances Dee in a remote Italian restaurant, follows her in the pouring rain. He runs after her as she enters the lobby of her hotel, only to be forcefully expelled by the bellhops. However, says Seymour Gilman, when Lederer finds himself in the alley the rain has stopped. Oh, for that Lederer personality that can chase away the rain so soon!

In "Freckles," Tom Brown walks the girl home. When she opens her door, regardless of the fact that she resides alone and has been away for a long while, it is evident, writes Eleanor Waterhouse, that the light in her house is turned on. If she really had to pay the bill it wouldn't be.

The man who stages the radio amateur program in the flicker "Millions in the Air" is called Col. Edwards throughout the picture. There is a scene showing his fan mail. A close-up of a letter, according to Jane Leighton, shows it is addresesd to Chief Edwards. They ought to decide what they want to call Maj. Bowes.

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Ian Hunter, portraying the British journalist in "I Found Stella Parish," goes to America hoping to find Kay Francis. When the ship docks, the newspapermen go aboard for the usual interviews of the returning celebrities. Hunter, on seeing a couple of them, says: "Well, if it isn't the old gang of news hawks from Park Row!" Betty Kashman claims a movie boner, for Park Row is no longer Newspaper Row and wouldn't get this billing.

But perhaps the scenario was written by a former Park Row newspaperman who wants to keep up the old tradition.

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Fred MacMurray in "Hands Across the Table" pawns his overcoat to get money for a cab, food and other things. During the entire flicker, writes Ruth Harris, both MacMurray and Carole Lombard are dressed in summer attire. Yet Fred pawns his overcoat. Also, in a scene shortly after Fred has informed Carole that he has pawned the overcoat, we see them lying on the roof gazing at the stars in a perfect summer setting.

It seems that summer time would be an ideal time to pawn an overcoat, for then it isn't needed.

A James Cagney fan, Sally Parker, says that he looked very fine in "Frisco Kid" and she liked him in the costume of that day. But after looking over all the details, Sally insists that Cagney wore a modern pair of suspenders, for they had the latest style clips for holding the shirt in place. She certainly noticed Cagney.

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In the sequence in "A Night at the Opera," before the orchestra is to play "Il Trovatore," Harpo Marx sticks some chewing gum into the hair of a musician.

However, looking at the picture carefully as Tom Jenk did, it can be seen that the musician has the chewing gum in his hair before Harpo places it there. This is explained by the fact that some extra shorts of the orchestra were needed in the sequence before Harpo does his gum bit and the only available film of the orchestra had been taken after the gum incident.

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Illinois Again Waives Personal Property Tax

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 19.—For the third successive year today Illinois waived the State tax on real estate and personal property. Expenditures formerly met through the levy are now financed by the sales tax and from liquor licenses and imposts.

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Louis Is Suspended After Jacobs Postpones Havana Battle

Ban Ordered On Army Coaches

New Rule, Effective First of Year, Aimed at Full-Time Positions.

Jones and Sasse Granted Permission to Fulfill Present Contracts.

By the Associated Press.

ARMY officers will not be allowed in the future to act as football coaches in civilian colleges. This is provided, it was learned tonight, in an order issued by the War Department, to become effective January 1.

It will not affect the present agreements held by Capt. Lawrence M. (Biff) Jones, with Oklahoma University and by Maj. Ralph Sasse with Mississippi State College, but they will not be allowed to act further in those capacities after their contracts with those institutions expire.

The order was said to have been occasioned by a shortage of officer personnel and the necessity of confining the activities of those assigned to R. O. T. C. duty at schools and colleges to actual military duties.

Jones and Sasse were believed here to be the only Army officers now acting as full-time athletic coaches in the course of R. O. T. C. assignments.

Minor Sports Hit.

The order forbids officers on R. O. T. C. duty to participate in any voluntary part-time work in assisting in athletic instruction, such as many now do in minor sports, if such activity interferes in any way with their regular duties as military instructors.

Maj. Robert Neyland, one other officer who has had conspicuous coaching success, recently returned to active duty after a lengthy tour as football mentor at the University of Tennessee. Since entering on duty with the Army garrison in the Canal Zone, he is known to have been sought by several colleges as a coach.

The order will operate to prevent him and any others who might be solicited from taking a job as full-time coach as long as he is in the Army.

All those who now are or have been coaches are assigned to educational institutions by the Army primarily as instructors of reserve officer units. In most cases they occupy regular positions on the faculty as professors of military science and tactics.

Craig's Order.

The order, which has not yet been made public, was said to have originated with Gen. Malin Craig, chief of staff, who was represented as feeling that officers on such duty give too much of their time to institutional athletics. Especially is this true, officers said, of men holding full-time coaching positions.

"Football coaching is now a big business," said one who asked that he not be quoted by name, "and it requires most of the time of a coach to run the team properly. It's no job for an Army officer with specific military tasks to perform."

Knoxville, Tenn., Dec. 19 (AP).—Although University of Tennessee officials have not made an official announcement regarding the return of Maj. Robert Neyland as head coach, it was said here tonight that the new decision against permitting Army officers to hold coaching positions would not prevent Neyland from accepting the Tennessee contract.

Neyland has previously announced that if he returned to coaching duties he would retire from the Army.

Orange Bowl Sold Out For C. U.-Ole Miss. Fray

Catholic University's football team will perform before a packed stadium New Year's Day when it clashes with Mississippi in the Orange Bowl game at Miami. Head Coach "Dutch" Bergman yesterday received a wire from Miami officials asking whether the Washington contingent would use the 250 tickets allotted to it. W. Keith Phillips, chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements, said nearly all other seats have been sold, and if Catholic doesn't want its bloc he'd like to sell them, too.

College Basketball.

High Point (N. C.) college, 40; Western Maryland, 32.
Long Island, 47; Washington College, 22.
Williams, 41; Princeton, 28.
Drury (Springfield, Mo.), 34; Rolla School of Mines, 29.
Marietta, 53; Capital, 31.
Denison, 25; Heidelberg, 21.
Defiance, 50; Ashland, 18.
Carthage, 51; Culver-Stockton, 19.
Iowa, 33; Loyola, 26.
Duke, 49; Baltimore University, 29.
Carleton, 28; Augustana (Sioux Falls, S. Dak.), 18.
Pittsburg Teachers, 40; Wichita U., 18.
Fort Hayes State, 44; Emporia Teachers, 39.
Central, 37; Buena Vista, 28.
Wheaton, 34; Louisville U., 25.
Elder, 41; West Virginia Teachers, 16.
Ball State, 38; Franklin, 37.
Washburn (Topeka, Kans.), 38; St. Louis U., 25.
Central Normal, 46; Hanover, 20.
Doane, 38; Nebraska B., 28.
Oshkosh (Wis.) Teachers, 24; Illinois State Normal, 22.
Brigham Young, 43; Creighton, 36.
Grinnell (Iowa), 18; Coe, 15.
Luther, 35; Eau Claire (Wis.) Teachers, 33.
Stevens Point (Wis.) Teachers, 45; River Falls Teachers, 33.
Hamline U., 36; St. Cloud Teachers, 15.

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Olympic Ice Skaters Without Funds for Voyage to Germany.

By Paul Gallico.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Mr. Allen Potts, the ice skater was in to see me the other afternoon in considerable distress. He has made the American Olympic ice skating team as the only representative from the East, along with three other men, one from Chicago and two from Minneapolis, but to date he does not know whether he is going to Garmisch-Partenkirchen, where the winter Olympics will be held, and the time for the departure is growing short.

Mr. Potts is a grade A ice skater, and feels that with his three colleagues that the American team will take the Dutchmen, as he calls them, but they are shy some $3,000 from quitting these shores in quest of Olympic honors, and if they continue to remain shy they will also continue to remain in the United States. This will give great joy to those who were on the side of America's withdrawal from the Olympics, but Mr. Potts explained, will cause great anguish to him and his teammates because they worked faithfully to make the team.

The skating association is one of the poorer branches of amateur competitive sport because for the most part theirs is a nonrevenue-producing sport. The skating association hasn't got a dime. And the Olympic committee has left it up to the skaters and their association to produce the money to go abroad, or stay home. That means that the skaters are around with their hats in their hands, a humiliating enough gesture for an American athlete, but especially so in these bitter times when there is so much propaganda and hatred and desire for vengeance. And this is only the beginning. Hence, perhaps this piece.

This is the first breach in the wall. From now on until after August the firing is going to be hot and heavy. Our participation in the Olympic games is based on voluntary donations and whatever the Olympic committee can raise by holding trials those voluntary donations are going to be hard to find. Members of the races and creeds persecuted in Germany can hardly be expected to contribute. And there are millions of people still on relief.

It is unfortunate that an aura of super purity must hover about the Olympic athletes. If this were not the case, I am sure that I could get the boys their dough in a day's work, simply by selling sweater space to sponsors so that the American ice team would be skating through the courtesy of El Offenso cigars, the track team would be scoring its victories by virtue of the stimulating effort of Dromedary cigarettes and the swimmers would be giving their all for Old Soako, straight Kentucky whisky. But this will not do. The dollar that is contributed to the Olympic fund must be sweet and clean and free from commercial odors. Brother, those are very tough dollars to find these days. They all have a slight, rancid smell.

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Olympic Teams Given Large Contributions

New York, Dec. 19 (AP).—The American Olympic committee today announced the receipt of two important contributions to help finance the visits of its winter sports teams to the winter Olympic games at Garmisch-Partenkirchen, Germany. The committee also issued a call for a meeting here December 30 to pass upon the entires for the winter sports teams, which are scheduled to sail January 3.

The Metropolitan Association of the Amateur Athletic Union, at its quarterly meeting, made an appropriation of $1,200 to help the hockey and bobsled teams along. The sum was divided equally between the two. Gilbert Colgate, jr., one of the bobsledders, previously had offered to duplicate any single contribution up to $600.

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Braddock's Comeback Is Best

Heavyweight Champion Leads Mrs. Moody in Sports Poll.

Relief Rolls to Crown Was Great Exploit of the Year.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—The story-book rise of James J. Braddock from the relief rolls to the world heavyweight boxing championship has been labeled by sports experts as the greatest comeback of 1935.

The year was filled with many spectacular returns to form, but participants in the fifth annual Associated Press sports poll accorded the rugged and courageous New Jersey veteran prime recognition, and placed Helen Wills Moody, already voted the outstanding woman athletic performer of the year, in the runner-up role.

Braddock and Mrs. Moody, who came out of a two-year retirement and won the Wimbledon tennis championship, were involved in a spirited contest by the experts and it was not until the last few votes were counted that the fighter established his final margin of popularity. All told, Braddock polled 180 points to 171 for Mrs. Moody.

Favored for First.

The vote was polled on a 3-2-1 point basis with experts listing their three comeback choices in the order of preference. Braddock was a pronounced favorite in the matter of first places. Forty-six voters put him at the top of their lists, while Mrs. Moody drew 31 three-point votes.

Robert Moses (Lefty) Grove, Boston Red Sox soutpaw pitcher, and Glenna Collett Vare, of Philadelphia, who won the national golf title for the first time in five years and the sixth time in her career, ended in a deadlock for third place, each receiving 43 points. Suffering from a sore arm, Grove was a "bust" last year, but he regained his form

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Chewaki Lets George Do It in Grapple

Photo by Randolph Burrus, Post Staff.

Chief Chewaki (left), the big, bold bad man, gets himself caught in an arm bar lock in his match with Ed (Don) George at Turner's Arena last night. The grimaces shown above were only a sample of what was to come as George won in 24½ minutes.

2,000 See Chief Chewaki Bite Ed Don George And Then Dust in Charity Wrestling Show

By George Considine.

NEARLY 2,000 good samaritans jammed the Turner Arena last night and saw Dr. Jekyll, portrayed by Ed (Don) George, former world wrestling champion, master Mister Hyde, portrayed by Chief Chewaki, by virtue of an upswinging knee, a push and a plop after 24½ minutes of tangling. The Washington Post Toy Fund received a generous percentage of the gate receipts.

Before the match was five minutes old it was obvious that Chewaki had no more chance than Abie Coleman would have with Hitler in a three-fall match in Berlin. As the handsome former titleholder steamed and the chief growled and rumbled one could imagine the Twentieth Century Limited in full blast, that is, of course, if one is addicted to imagining things.

One time the referee, Bennah Bortnick, put his tootsie into it and Chewaki invited him to join the party. But, Bennah, somewhat abashed at his hospitality, declined graciously and said to George in effect, "You first, my deah, Alphonse." It was a very touching picture.

The chief didn't seem to be his old villainous self in the presence of the crown prince of Rassledumb. Of course, he strangled Ed (Don), slammed him around most undignifiedly, bit him and one thing and another. But somehow he was surprisingly well behaved. Maybe it was something he et.

Evidently tiring of carrying the allegedly bold, bad Injun, George really went to work at the 20-minute mark. The weapon he seemed to favor was a short butt of his head into Chewaki's hirsuted tummy much in the manner of Jack Dempsey's short right punch.

This annoyed the chief very much and, dropping his guard, walked into George's upraised knee, dropped back to the mat to remain comfortably horizontal,

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Cruickshank 'Hot' On Eve of Tourney

By the Associated Press.

Nassau, Bahamas, Dec. 19.—The word, "Bobby Cruickshank's hot again," went around tonight among 80 golfers gathered for the annual $5,000 British Colonial Open, starting tomorrow.

Touring the course his first time out in 66, two under par, the Richmond, Va., player served notice he was ready to repeat the victory last year that brought him top prize of $1,000.

Other professionals of the biggest American contingent ever to invade Nassau fell several strokes short of matching his practice round.

McAvoy Meets Risko Tonight At Garden

Title Not at Stake; Victor Gets Shot at Lewis' Light-heavy Crown.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Two champions meet in Madison Square Garden tomorrow night, but no title will be at stake.

Jock McAvoy, holder of the British light-heavyweight and middleweight crowns, and Babe Risko, the world's reigning middleweight king, swap punches in the featured ten-round bout. McAvoy has agreed to come in over the 160-pound class limit so Risko's crown will be safe.

For McAvoy the fight will furnish an opportunity to get a crack either at Risko's title or John Henry Lewis' light-heavyweight crown. Neither title is out of the Englishman's reach on the basis of the fine showing he made against Al McCoy, Boston 175-pounder, in his American debut three weeks ago.

Recent Winner.

Risko, who acquired his title only three months ago when he outpointed Teddy Yarosz and since has won three nontitle events, also would like a chance at Lewis' championship.

McAvoy, hailed as the greatest fighter to come out of England in recent years, showed plenty of speed and punching ability in stopping McCoy's string of victories.

Cuba Dispute Jeopardizes Career

Promoter Sets Feb. 2 as Date; Bomber 'Overtrained.'

N.Y. Commission Denies Any Agreement With Island Body.

By the Associated Press

HAVANA, Dec. 19.—Mike Jacobs, New York boxing promoter who controls the appearances of Joe Louis, came to Havana today, postponed the Louis-Isidor Gastanagna fight from December 29 to February 2 and left for Miami again, suspended by the Cuban Boxing Commission.

It took an all-day discussion among Jacobs, Cuban promoters and government officials to reach that rather unsatisfactory conclusion. Jacobs made the visit because reports of political unrest had Louis' managers worried. After settling upon the postponement, however, he said it was because the Brown Bomber from Detroit was tired and had been ordered not to don the gloves again for at least a month.

Cepeda Objects.

The decision was far from satisfactory to Rafael Cepeda, president of the Cuban Boxing Commission, who ordered the suspension of the promoter, Louis and Julian Black, one of the fighter's managers, because of their refusal to hold the bout as scheduled. Cepeda insisted that a working agreement with the New York Athletic Commission would make the suspensions effective in New York. The suspensions will remain in effect until Louis reaches Cuba.

In New York, Brig. Gen. John J. Phelan, chairman of the State athletic commission, said that no agreement, "reciprocal or otherwise," exists between the two commissions.

"Even if there was an agreement and Jacobs and Louis were suspended," Phelan said, "we'd investigate the matter thoroughly before we suspended them here. But, to

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Nats' Dismal Pitching Corps Ranks 7th in American League

Harris' Best Stands 35th On List

Grove Makes Comeback to Lead League in Earned Runs.

THE sorriest chapter of the Washington Club's dismal 1935 campaign was revealed yesterday with the announcement of the official American League pitching averages which substantiate the season-long suspicion that the Nat's pitching was almost the worst, if not the worst, in the league.

Bucky Harris' most effective pitcher—Earl Whitehill—is found to rank only thirty-fifth among the league's pitchers in effectiveness as measured on the basis of earned runs yielded per nine innings. To gain that rating, Whitehill surrendered on an average of 4.29 earned runs per game.

Boston's Lefty Grove, recovering his form with the Red Sox, regained the place at the head of the effectiveness list he occupied when he was in his prime with the Athletics. Grove allowed only 2.70 earned runs per game to win top rank from Ted Lyons, Chicago veteran, who had an average of 3.02.

Buck Newsom, second to Whitehill in effectiveness among the Nats' staff, yielded 4.52 earned runs per game with other Washington pitchers ranking as follows: Irving Hadley, 4.93; Leon Pettit, 4.95; Ed Linke, 5.01; Jack Russell, 5.71, and Henry Coppola, 5.95.

In effectiveness, Washington topped only the St. Louis Browns pitching staff, which boasted an earned run average of 5.26. The Yankees' pitchers led the league on an earned-run basis with an average of 3.60, topping the Tiger hurlers who averaged 3.82.

Washington pitchers allowed the most hits, 1,672, the second highest number of earned runs and the second highest total of bases on balls and wild pitches.

Whitehill, with his 14 victories and 13 defeats, was the only Washington hurler to pitch better than .500 baseball, but after joining the Nats from St. Louis, where he had a record of six straight defeats, Buck Newsom won 11 and lost 12. Newsom, with 18 defeats for his season's work, was the heaviest loser among all the league's pitchers.

Louis' Havana Bout Postponed to Feb.

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the best of my knowledge, there is no agreement."

The Cuban commission, however, is a member of the National Boxing Association and the suspension in that country would automatically bar Louis and Jacobs in the 34 States affiliated with that organization, leaving practically no place for the promoter to promote or the fighter to fight.

The sale of seats was ordered suspended and arrangements were made to refund the money already received on the advance sale. The February 2 date was selected after Joe Jacobs, manager of Max Schmeling, had agreed to waive a clause in the contract for a Schmeling-Louis fight next summer which provided that Louis should not fight between January 31 and the time of that bout. Joe Jacobs accompanied Mike on the visit.

Bomber Gone Stale.

In announcing the postponement Mike Jacobs said:

"Louis seems to have gone stale and needs a rest. His manager has cabled and telephoned to us saying the boy positively can not fight December 29. He has had 15 fights in 11 months and his doctor has told him not to put on a glove for at least a month."

Jacobs denied that reports of "political unrest," given by John Roxborough, one of Louis' managers, as his reason for desiring a postponement, had influenced his decision. He also said the bout would not be shifted to Detroit or some other United States city.

"Gastanaga must fight Louis here in Havana before he gets a chance to fight in the United States," he said.

Roxborough, one of Louis' managers, has expressed the desire the bout be transferred to Detroit or some other American city. If the Cuban commission invokes the N. B. A. to isue a blanket suspension, the bout could not be transferred to Detroit as Michigan is affiliated with the association.

If the Cuban commission is successful in having Jacobs, Louis and Black suspended by the National Boxing Association and New York Athletic Commission, well-laid plans for the heavyweight throne will be completely wrecked.

Bridgewater Victors Over Wilson Teachers

Harrisonburg, Va., Dec. 19.—Rallying in the second half, the Bridgewater College Eagles tonight registered a 41-to-31 victory over the Wilson Teachers College, of Washington.

Wilson led at the half, 23 to 15, but Bridgewater, led by the sharpshooting of Zeller, came back to win. Zeller led the scoring with 17 points while Mitchell, of Wlson, accounted for 15.

Bridgewater.	G	FG	P	Wilson.	G	FG	P
Sanger,rf	1	0	2	Newton,rf	0	2	2
Beasley,lf	1	0	2	Fishburne,lf	1	0	2
Brown,c	3	2	8	Gau,c	0	0	0
Scott,rg	4	2	10	Mitchel,rg	7	1	15
Zeller,lg	9	1	17	Fox,lg	3	0	6
McDonald,lg	1	0	2	Gordon,lg	3	0	6
Totals	18	5	41	Totals	14	3	31

Wants Game Tonight.

The Takoma Fire Department basketball team is seeking a game with a 145-pound class or unlimited five for tonight. The team is also seeking games for other dates. Call Adams 4821.

This Morning . . .

With Shirley Povich

DEVELOPMENTS on the Washington ball club since the late and lamented 1935 season ended have been slightly cock-eyed, it seems. With the Nats' need of pitching as plain as the nose on Durante's face and Clark Griffith announcing to the world that he would go into the open market for hurling talent, the net result thus far has been the addition of two outfielders in exchange for Heinie Manush.

POVICH.

The official American League pitching averages, announced today, behoove Griffith to maintain anything but a stand-pat policy with regard to the pitchers now in his possession. The best hurler on the Washington staff, Earl Whitehill, ranked no better than thirty-fifth in the league on the basis of earned runs. The Washington staff as a whole was superior only to that of the St. Louis Browns.

Indirectly, Griffith has himself to blame for his failure to make a trade that would bring a pitcher, or pitchers, to the Washington club. He set the style for fancy figures when he sold Joe Cronin to the Red Sox for a quarter of a million dollars and other club owners now talk only in terms of comparatively fabulous sums for talent. The big money introduced into the league by Tom Yawkey has succeeded only in stifling trades among the other clubs, but Griffith will probably manage to worry along with the $250,000 he already has acquired.

At Chicago, Griffith went to market with very little trading material. Other clubs were exceedingly wary of taking on such as Earl Whitehill and Heinie Manush, a pair of 34-year-olds, and Fred Schulte, two years younger, who comprised Griffith's chief lures. They wanted some of the cash Griffith pried from Yawkey in the Cronin deal, and the Nats' owner rightly scorned outrageous propositions for pitchers who, ordinarily, wouldn't bring $25,000 in the open market. Thus, the Nats were forced to stand pat.

But Griffith is not idling. Almost every day he has been in communication with at least one club in an effort to consummate one of the numerous deals he broached to rival magnates at Chicago. He still has the Indians and Yankees on the string, in fact, but is realizing now that he must part with more than his oldsters if he is to swing a trade.

Four players on other clubs are now the object of his intentions. They are Pitcher Oral Hildebrand, Catcher Frankie Pytlak and Shortstop Roy Hughes, of Cleveland, and Pitcher Johnny Murphy, of the Yankees. His acquisition of Outfielder Roy Johnson from Boston in the Manush deal has bolstered his hopes. Both the Yankees and the Indians are keen to acquire the hard-hitting, left-handed outfielder who would find the right-field fences at New York and Cleveland easy targets, and Griffith is negotiating from that vantage point.

The canny Washington club owner may have waited too long, though. The release of the official American League averages has done his chances no good. Catcher Cliff Bolton, who was to have figured in the Cleveland deal, along with Whitehill and Red Kress and an outfielder, was revealed as the worst fielding catcher in the league, while Whitehill ranked far down in the pitching averages.

The factor that augurs best for a trade that will bring a pitcher to Washington is the desperation of both the Indians and the Yankees as a result of the new concentration of strength in Boston. The Nats, with little chance to win the pennant, can better afford to stand pat than can either the Yanks or the Indians, who figure to make a serious battle of it if they obtain strength in spots. They must come to Griffith if they are to make the most of their chances, which are by no means dark. Griffith is banking on that.

In Short—

Interviewed in New York the other day, Babe Ruth snorted at the official 1935 American League averages . . . "Hell, they don't mean a thing," he said . . . "Look at Joe Kuhel, tenth in fielding among the first basemen . . . why, he's the best fielding first baseman in the league. . . . and Red Rolfe leads the third basemen . . . that's a laugh, everybody knows Ossie Bluege is the best fielding third baseman in baseball." . . . Manager Jimmy Dykes infuriated Manager Mickey Cochrane at the recent Chicago trading session by wearing the $40 hat he won from Cochrane on a bet during the 1935 season . . . among the items the Red Sox will have to settle with Jimmy Foxx is the $5,000 he drew for his radio work while with the Athletics and which he must forfeit if he plays for the Red Sox . . . Baseball writers have formally protested a liquor ad showing what appears to be baseball writers publicly taking a drink from a bottle in the press box at the World Series.

Braddock Is Voted Greatest Comeback

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in the 1935 campaign, won 20 games and set a record by compiling the league's best earned-run average for the seventh time.

Tabulation of the poll on the year's outstanding individual comeback:

Performer	Points
1. James J. Braddock, world heavyweight boxing champion	180
2. Helen Wills Moody, Wimbledon tennis champion	171
3. Robert Moses Grove, Boston Red Sox southpaw pitcher	43
4. Glenna Collett Vare, national women's golf champion	43
5. Wilmer Allison, national men's tennis champion	28
6. Tony Canzoneri, world's lightweight boxing champion	14
7. Alvin (General) Crowder, Detroit Tigers' pitcher	11
8. Thomas Hitchcock, jr., world's only 10-goal polo player	9
9. Wesley Ferrell, Boston Red Sox pitcher	7
10. Charles Gelbert, St. Louis Cardinals' infielder	6

Five points each—Goose Goslin, Detroit outfielder; Charley Root, Chicago Cubs' pitcher, and Ozzie Simmons, Iowa halfback.

Three points each—Paul Derringer, Cincinnati pitcher; John Revolta, professional golfer, and Walter Hagen.

Two points each—Madison (Matty) Bell, Southern Methodist football coach; Andy Pilney, Notre Dame halfback.

One point each—Ted Lyons, White Sox pitcher; Mark Koenig, New York Giants' infielder; Babe Sieber, Boston Bruins' hockey player; Big Bill Tilden, pro tennis; Marvin Nelson, distance swimmer.

Flynn Has No Trouble Beating Masi With Cue

The shortest game of the tournament was recorded in the Lewis and Krauss three-cushion billiard tourney last night when Gene Flynn defeated Frank Masi, 35 to 25 in 52 innings.

Henry Baer beat Charles Goodacre, 35 to 26 in 58 innings. In tonight's opening game, scheduled to start at 7:30, Warren Hoeke will play Curtis Lanson. Leonard Brin will meet John Didge in the remaining contests, to be played immediately following the opening game.

Mrs. Giles Heads Golf Body at Indian Spring

Mrs. Karl S. Giles, well known Indian Spring golfer, yesterday was appointed chairman of the women's golf committee at Indian Spring Country Club by Tom Belshe, men's golf chairman and president of the District Golf Association.

Mrs. Giles succeeds Mrs. J. Franklin Gross, who had been chairman for several years, and recently was elected vice president of the Women's District of Columbia Golf Association.

Other committee appointments will be announced next month.

Chewaki Defeated By Ed Don George

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while Bortnick wheezed "Wahun, ta-hu, tha-ree!"

It remained for the semifinal to furnish the real fireworks of the evening's entertainment. Therein Referee Bortnick succeeded in getting his shirt torn to ribbons, King Kong Kashey succeeded in inspiring a constant round of catcalls, and Dean Detton, the reformed University of Utah football star, succeeded in airplane spinning Kashey into oblivion in 17 minutes.

A new high in spirit and rough-and-tumble antics was reached by the clean-cut Californian, Vic Christie, while he made hamburgers out of George Lenihan, of Boston, in 17¾ minutes. Winning grip—combination armlock and scissors.

In the opener, Irish Jack Donovan and Rusty Westcott, former University of Honolulu swimming luminary, toiled to a listless 30-minute draw.

Freddie, the India Rubber Man, a very clever contortionist, entertained the folks between bouts.

Western Rally Beats Bethesda Five, 25-20

A second-half rally led by Hugo Schulze enabled Western High School to come from behind a 12-to-9 deficit and top Bethesda-Chevy Chase High School's courtmen yesterday in a fast game played on the winners' court. The final score was 25 to 20. Schulze, with 10 points, and Jerry Burns, who poured four field goals through the bucket, topped the scoring lists. Lasupone was outstanding for Bethesda.

Western.	G	FG	P	Bethesda.	G	FG	P
Burns,lf	4	0	8	Harris,lf	2	0	4
Wells,lf	0	0	0	Lasupone,rf	3	1	7
Borden,rf	1	1	3	Snyder,c	2	0	4
Edmonston,rf	0	0	0	Putnam,lg	2	0	4
DeWitt,c	1	0	2	Kimmel,rg	0	1	1
Heil,c	0	0	0	Day,rg	0	0	0
Mayo,c	0	0	0				
Daly,lg	1	0	2	Totals	9	2	20
Schulze,rg	5	0	10				
Lomax,rg	0	0	0				
Totals	12	1	25				

Northeast Boys Down Police Boxing Team, 3-2

The Northeast Boys Club boxing team defeated a team from No. 4 Police Boys Club, 3 to 2, in bouts held at the Northeast gymnasium last night.

The results:

60-pound class—David Tash (N. E.) won decision from John Pertino.

85-pound class—Mick Sovens (No. 4) won decision from David Bradley. Charles Thompson (N. E.) won decision from Ross Pertino.

85-pound class—Jack Fowler (N. E.) won decision from Robert Watson.

100-pound class—Tony De Tora (No. 4) won decision from Eddie East.

Tangora Aspiring to Be G Man

Associated Press WIREPHOTOS

PAUL TANGORA,

Washington youth who won all-American fame at guard for Northwestern University during the past football season, has switched his college course from the arts to criminology in the hope of becoming a Government agent. He is pictured inspecting the arsenal at the Evanston, Ill., police station.

Thistlethwaite Explains Grid Revolution

By John R. Vosburgh.

SPEAKING at the annual American University football banquet last night at the Kennedy-Warren, Glenn S. Thistlethwaite, coach at the University of Richmond, flung a militant message to some 100 hearers on a subject called "The American Revolution in Football."

The former Northwestern and Wisconsin coach told his listeners that they are "seeing a revolution" in the game on three fronts:

1. The decline and fall of "so-called American blue-bloods" from the football line-ups.

2. Increasing evasiveness and lack of veracity and truth in conduction of the sport.

3. Changed complexion of football for the better due to lateral pass "unless it is cured by reactionaries."

The Richmond coach was the principal speaker on a program presided over by Dr. Ernest S. Griffith, dean of the American University graduate school. Football awards were made to 25 players and two managers. The banquet was the first conducted for the squad by the university alumni.

Other speakers included Richard E. Jarvis, secretary of the Alumni Association; Lew Frank, publicity director and student, and Walter H. Young, coach and athletic director. Young introduced three high school coaches—Hap Hardell, of Tech; Lynn Woodworth, of Roosevelt, and Hardy Pearce, of Central.

The following received awards, presented by Dr. William B. Holton.

Football "A" Awards.

*Howard A. Thompson, jr., Newburgh, N. Y.; *Ralph H. Winslow, Chicago, Ill.; *Joseph P. Carlo, Antes Fort, Pa.; Joseph A. Britton, Bristol, Pa.; *James H. Applegate, Washington, D. C.; *Walter Dick, Rehoboth Beach, Del.; *Albert Hanawalt, Harrisburg, Pa.; Harold E. Toner, Warren, Pa.; Emerson Bartlett, Kane, Pa.; Harold S. Yackel, Jersey Shore, Pa.; Peter Sitnik, Hicksville, Long Island; Kimer L. Shoop, Shamokin, Pa.; Carl A. Benscoter, Kane, Pa.; Leonard E. Howard, Saugus, Mass.; Samuel B. Maize, jr., Jersey Shore, Pa.; Herbert A. Fuchs (manager), Washington, D. C.

*Second football "A."

Numeral Awards.

Wade Hansborough, McLean, Va.; James Boudman, Hughesville, Pa.; Everett Palmer Washington, D. C.; D. John Rhodes, Washington, D. C.; Lindsay Branson, Washington, D. C.; Clarence Corkran, Washington, D. C.; William Buck, Washington, D. C.; Robert Crans, Washington, D. C.; Dixon Allo, Freeport, Long Island; William Briggs (manager), McLean, Va.; George Scott, Mount Pleasant, Pa.

Close Race Waged In Suburban Loop

The battle for supremacy in the Takoma-Suburban League waged hotly last night at the Takoma drives with the Brooks Shade Shop gaining a foothold at the top with three wins over Takoma A. C. The fight for the runner-up position was deadlocked between Stewart Brothers Photographers and Fritz Billiard, though each team took a lacing. The Photographers were upset three times by Youngblood Hardware and Fritz Billiards were on the lower end of an odd-game decision with Happy Five.

Other results were Victor Flower Shop's two wins over Pioneer Press, Lamar and Wallace topping Minter & Baker and Sarco taking the nod over Stewart Brothers No. 2. Tom Mudd, of Fritz Billiards, carried away the individual laurels with a 141 game and 381 set.

The bowlers in the Country Club League will turn on the power in their league matches tonight at Lucky Strike, being spurred onward by the chance of winning a turkey.

Fraternity Five to Play In Atlantic City Match

The local Alpha Zeta Alpha Fraternity basketball team will play in the Far Eastern Conference of that fraternity in Atlantic City December 28, 29 and 30. It will be the sixth consecutive year the team has played in the tournament, having won three times.

From Atlantic City, the team will go, if victorious, to McKeesport, Pa., and Catalina Island, Calif.

Branch Bocock May Coach Indians

Special Dispatch to The Post.

RICHMOND, Dec. 19.—Branch Bocock, oldtime Georgetown player and former William and Mary coach, will be back in head coaching harness at Williamsburg next fall after an absence of five seasons, according to news in well informed circles here today.

Bocock's strongest hold in Indians' memory is the faculty he had for beating Richmond, traditional rivals of the Indians. During his three years as head coach the Indians won by counts of 7 to 0, 25 to 0 and 19 to 0.

The William and Mary athletic council does not meet until Saturday, but at that time it is expected to announce that John Kellison and Tommy Dowler will be retained, in addition to the acquisition of Bocock. Earler reports that "no new faces" would be on hand had led to the belief that Kellison would be in charge next year.

Rinaldi Five Seeks Ninth Win Tonight

Rinaldi Tailors, who are out to exceed the winning streak of more than 50 games they hung up last winter under Sholl's banner, will meet the strong Mount Vernon quintet tonight at 8:30 o'clock at Tech High School.

Coach Dave Keppel's men have eight consecutive victories to their credit at this early stage of the campaign, numbering the strong Investigation and St. Mary's Celtics among their victims. Sunday Rinaldis will play the Stonewall Democratic Club, of Baltimore, at the George Washington gymnasium, at 3 o'clock.

Congress Heights Wins Over Trojans, 24 to 21

In one of the best basketball games played in the Southeast Community League last night at Hine Junior High School Congress Heights A. C. defeated the Trojans, 24 to 21, to win the first half of the schedule. The feature of the contest was the battle waged between Timmons and Stipe, two 6-footers, with Stipe outplaying his famous rival.

Two other games were staged, American Stone winning from Eighth Street Southeast Business Men, 37 to 27, and the Marvins defeating O'Donnell's Restaurant, 33 to 21.

Cong. Hts.	G	FG	P	Trojans.	G	FG	P
Shrout,lf	2	2	6	DeFraik,lf	0	1	1
Xander,rf	2	1	5	Reid,rf	2	1	5
Timmons,c	0	0	0	Stipe,c	6	0	12
Henderson,lg	0	1	1	Warner,lg	1	1	3
Taylor,rg	5	2	12	Shaw,rg	0	0	0
Totals	9	6	24	Totals	9	3	21

Referee—Sugrue.

Eastern Alumni Defeat Tech Graduates, 31-29

A couple of foul shots in the last minute of play by Otts Zahn, former George Washington basketball player, gave Eastern alumni a 31-29 victory over the Tech alumni last night at the Eastern gymnasium. The offense which allowed Zahn to send the Lincoln Parkers ahead in the closing moments was committeed by Bobba Wiles, little Tech forward of by-gone days.

Eastern High coasted to a 38 to 19 victory over Gonzaga in the second half of the double-header after taking a 25-3 lead in the first half. Both Coach Charlie Guyon and Orrel Mitchell used their entire squads.

Harvard Hall Wins.

Harvard Hall's table tennis team defeated the Sixteenth Field Artillery, 7 to 1 last night at Fort Myer. Results:

Cy Rantner defeated Private T. Roberts, 21—17, 21—19, 15—21, and Sergt. R. Mazie, 21—15, 21—17, 21—19; Sergt. Mazie defeated Abe Chasnow, 17—21, 21—15, 13—21, 16—21; Chasnow defeated Sergt. Roberts, 20—11, 20—16, 20—19; Harry Goldsmith defeated Sergt. T. Raitsch, 14—21, 21—19, 21—17, 20—19, and Private Hoffa, 23—25, 21—19, 21—16, 21—17; I. Wolk defeated Hoffa, 21—14, 21—12, 20—12, and Sergt. Raitsch, 21—19, 13—21, 18—21, 21—15, 21—13.

Official American League Pitching Averages

CLUB PITCHING RECORDS.

	IP.	AB.	H.	R.	ER.	BB.	SO.	HB.	WP.	CG.	ER. Ave.	PO.
New York	1331	5087	1276	632	533	516	594	12	21	76	3.60	
Detroit	1364	5320	1440	665	579	522	584	30	20	87	3.82	
Boston	1376	5420	1520	732	619	520	470	20	23	82	4.05	
Cleveland	1396	5500	1527	739	644	457	498	17	15	67	4.15	
Chicago	1361	5305	1443	750	662	574	436	22	33	80	4.38	
Philadelphia	1326	5219	1486	869	754	704	469	25	35	68	5.12	
Washington	1379	5538	1672	903	804	613	456	27	29	67	5.25	
St. Louis	1380	5610	1667	930	807	640	435	18	32	42	5.26	
Totals	10913	42999	12031	6220	5402	4546	3942	171	208	559	4.46	

Pitchers in 45 or more innings rated according to earned run average per 9-inning game.

Rtg. Name and Club. Throws	G	W	L	Pct.	E.R. Pct. Rat.	IP	AB	H	R	ER	BB	SO	WP	Ave
1. Grove, Robert M., Boston..L	38	20	12	.625	13	273	1048	269	105	82	65	121	2	2.70
2. Lyons, Theodore A., Chi..R	22	15	8	.652	10	191	740	194	79	64	56	54	4	3.02
3. Lieber, Chas. E., Phil...R	18	1	1	.500	31	47	171	45	18	16	19	14	0	3.05
4. Ruffing, Chas. H., N. Y..R	30	16	11	.593	18	222	842	201	88	77	76	81	1	3.12
5. Gomez, Vernon, N. Y....L	34	12	15	.444	41	246	920	223	104	87	86	138	8	3.18
6. DeShong, Jas. B., N. Y...R	20	4	1	.800	1	69	264	64	30	25	33	30	1	3.26
7. Harder, Melvin L., Cleve..R	42	22	11	.667	6	287	1138	313	120	105	53	95	1	3.29
8. Sullivan, Joe, Detroit....L	25	6	6	.500	31	126	487	119	66	49	71	53	4	3.50
9. Bridges, Thomas D., Det..R	36	21	10	.677	5	274	1069	277	129	107	113	163	5	3.81
10. Parrell, Wesley C., Bos..R	41	25	14	.641	12	322	1260	336	149	128	108	110	5	3.52
11. Hoggett, Elon C., Det....L	40	6	6	.500	31	97	378	109	45	38	49	39	0	3.53
12. Andrews, I. Paul, St. L...R	50	13	7	.650	11	213	845	231	95	84	53	43	0	3.56
13. Broaca, John J., N. Y....R	29	15	7	.682	4	201	782	199	96	80	79	78	1	3.58
14. Allen, John T., N. Y....R	22	13	6	.684	3	167	625	149	78	67	58	113	3	3.61
15. Brown, Lloyd A., Clev...L	42	8	7	.533	26	122	464	123	52	49	37	45	2	3.61
16. Brown, Walter G., N. Y..R	20	6	5	.545	25	87	337	94	41	35	37	41	0	3.62
17. Rowe, Lynwood T., Det..R	42	19	13	.594	17	276	1085	272	121	113	68	140	1	3.68
18. Hudlin, G., Willis, Clev..R	36	15	11	.577	21	232	910	252	107	95	61	45	2	3.69
19. Whitehead, J. H., Chi....R	28	13	13	.500	31	222	837	269	101	92	101	72	3	3.73
20. Auker, Elden L., Det....R	36	18	7	.720	2	195	763	213	96	83	61	63	2	3.83
21. Walberg, George, Bos....L	44	5	9	.357	56	143	556	152	71	62	54	44	1	3.90
22. Mahaffey, Leroy, Phil...R	27	8	4	.667	6	136	540	153	66	59	42	39	7	3.90
23. Kennedy, L. Vernon, Chi..R	31	11	11	.500	21	212	804	211	110	92	95	65	7	3.91
24. Ostermueller, F., Bos....L	22	7	8	.467	38	138	525	135	67	60	78	41	5	3.91
25. Hildebrand, O. C., Clev..R	34	9	8	.529	28	171	650	171	85	75	63	49	1	3.95
26. Lee, Thornton S., Clev....L	32	7	10	.412	45	181	692	179	90	81	71	81	1	4.03
27. Jones, Samuel P., Chi....R	21	8	7	.533	26	140	571	162	77	63	51	38	2	4.05
28. Wilshere, Vernon, Phil...L	27	9	9	.500	31	142	537	136	69	64	78	80	2	4.06
29. Sorrell, Victor G., Det...R	12	4	3	.571	22	61	204	65	28	23	25	22	1	4.06
30. Marcum, John A., Phil...R	39	17	12	.586	19	243	954	256	125	110	83	99	2	4.07
31. Tamulis, V. C., N. Y....L	30	10	5	.667	6	161	636	178	80	73	55	57	1	4.08
32. Murphy, John J., N. Y...R	40	10	5	.667	6	117	452	110	67	53	55	28	1	4.08
33. Wilson, John F., Bos....R	23	3	4	.429	42	64	248	72	35	30	36	19	3	4.22
34. Crowder, Alvin F., Det...R	33	16	10	.615	14	241	944	269	127	114	67	59	1	4.26
35. Whitehill, Earl O., Wash..L	34	14	13	.519	30	279	1101	318	149	133	104	102	7	4.29
36. Tietje, Leslie W., Chi....R	30	9	15	.375	53	170	664	184	88	81	81	64	6	4.29
37. Blaeholder, George F., 6 St. L., 23 Phil....R	29	7	11	.389	50	167	672	196	93	80	55	22	1	4.31
38. Welch, John V., Bos....R	31	10	9	.526	29	143	568	155	82	71	53	48	3	4.47
39. Newsom, Louis N., 7 St. L., 28 Wash....R	35	11	18	.379	52	241	949	276	137	121	97	87	5	4.52
40. Knott, John H., St. L....R	48	11	8	.579	20	188	764	219	119	96	78	45	7	4.60
41. Thomas, Fay W., St. L...R	49	7	15	.318	60	147	571	165	95	78	89	67	9	4.78
42. Phelps, Ray, C., Chi....R	27	4	8	.333	58	125	481	126	77	67	55	38	3	4.82
43. Salveson, John T., Chi..R	20	1	2	.333	58	67	265	79	39	36	23	27	1	4.91
45. Hadley, Irving D., Wash..R	35	10	15	.400	47	230	917	268	143	126	102	77	4	4.93
46. Pettit, Leon A., Wash....L	41	8	5	.615	14	109	428	129	65	60	58	45	2	4.95
47. Linke, Edward, Wash....R	40	11	7	.611	16	178	714	211	111	99	80	51	4	5.01
48. Brown, Clinton M., Clev..R	23	4	3	.571	22	49	203	63	34	28	14	20	2	5.14
49. Hockette, Geo. E., Bos...L	23	2	3	.400	47	61	252	63	43	38	22	11	0	5.16
50. Van Atta, Russell, 5 N. Y., 53 St. L....L	58	9	16	.360	55	173	708	206	121	103	90	90	4	5.30
51. Dietrich, William J., Phil..R	43	7	13	.350	57	185	735	203	128	111	101	59	5	5.40
52. Rhodes, J. Gordon, Bos...R	34	2	10	.167	65	146	601	192	103	88	60	44	3	5.42
53. Cain, Merritt P., 6 Phil., 31 St. L....R	37	9	13	.409	46	194	781	236	134	117	123	73	2	5.43
54. Malone, Pere L., N. Y....R	29	3	5	.375	53	56	210	53	45	34	33	25	5	5.46
55. Stewart, Walter C., 1 Wash., 24 Cleve....L	25	6	7	.462	39	94	406	130	77	59	19	25	0	5.65
56. Russell, Jack, Wash....R	43	4	9	.308	62	126	525	170	88	80	37	30	1	5.71
57. Winegarner, R. L., Clev...R	25	2	2	.500	31	67	284	89	51	43	29	41	1	5.78
58. Cascarella, Joseph T., 9 Phil., 6 Boston....R	15	1	9	.100	67	49	191	54	38	32	33	24	0	5.88
59. Coppola, Henry P., Wash..R	19	3	4	.429	42	59	240	72	40	39	29	19	0	5.95
60. Doyle, William C., Phil...R	14	2	7	.222	63	80	305	86	63	53	72	34	4	5.96
61. Coffman, R. S., St. L....R	41	5	11	.313	61	144	615	206	116	98	46	34	2	6.13
62. Fischer, Charles W., 23 Detroit, 24 Chicago..L	27	5	6	.455	40	101	411	118	75	69	44	38	2	6.15
63. Walkup, Jas. Elton, St. L..R	55	6	9	.400	47	181	740	226	139	126	104	44	6	6.27
64. Caster, George J., Phil...R	25	1	4	.200	64	63	267	86	59	44	37	24	2	6.29
65. Wyatt, J. Whitlow, Chi...R	50	4	3	.571	22	53	211	65	41	39	25	14	2	6.75
66. Burke, Robert J., Wash..L	15	1	8	.111	66	66	275	90	63	55	27	16	4	7.50
67. Turbeville, Geo. E., Phil..R	19	0	3	.000	68	64	237	74	58	54	69	20	7	7.59
68. Benton, Alton, Phil....R	27	3	4	.429	42	78	335	110	81	67	47	42	3	7.73

Ties—Harder, 3; Lee, Knott, Van Atta, 2 each; Sullivan, Hogsett, Andrews, Whitehead, Schumacher, Whitehill, F. Thomas, Phelps, C. Brown, Coffman, Walkup, 1 each.

Balks—Wilshere, 3; Ruffing, Bridges, Broaca, Rowe, Kennedy, Lee, Crowder, Newsom, Salveson, Hadley, Hockette, Dietrich, Stewart, Winegarner, Fischer, Walkup, 1 each.

Pitchers in less than 45 innings, rated according to percentage of games won and lost.

Name and Club. Throws	G	W	L	Pct.	IP	AB	H	R	ER	BB	SO	WP
Bean, Belve B., Clev., 10 Wash..R	11	2	0	1.000	32	132	45	29	26	19	6	1
Galehouse, Dennis W., Cleveland..R	5	1	0	1.000	13	51	16	14	13	9	8	0
Huckleberry, Earl, Philad

Little Dinah Captures Tropical Park Sprint, Paying $13.30

Stretch Rush Of Top Dog Futile

Muscle In Wins Opener After Carrying Cicary, Favorite, Wide.

By the Associated Press.

TROPICAL PARK, Fla., Dec. 19.—Making her first appearance since a campaign in New England, F. W. Woodward's 3-year-old filly, Little Dinah, led home five other sprinters in the Matecumba Handicap, headliner on today's card.

The daughter of Sir Greysteel caused many a dollar to be lost by form followers. Mrs. Emil Denemark's Top Dog and Tranquility Farm's Rock X, the two to attract the majority of the play, trailed the winner over the line as named.

Top Dog closed at $1.60 to $1, while Rock X would have paid a nickel more. But neither was a match for Little Dinah, which made all her own pace and won by a length in the fast time of 1:06 for the five and one-half furlongs. Her backers collected $13.30 for $2. Top Dog had a length and a half to spare over Rock X.

Ira, younger brother of Carl Hanford, hustled Little Dinah into a length advantage. The game filly disposed of Spixi in short order and then withstood a long drive to beat Top Dog. Rock X broke fast, dropped back and failed to offer serious contention under hard urging. Happy Helen, beaten a head for a place in the select circle, closed fastest of all.

Favorite Beaten by Nose.

In a bitter stretch duel, Muscle In won the first race, a maiden dash for juveniles, by a nose from Cicary here today. The latter closed a slight choice over the winner, which paid just under 2 to 1. Miss Philura was third from a slow start, two lengths back.

Cicary may have been best, for Muscle In carried the favorite out at the home turn. Litzenberger's mount then managed to stick his nose in front at the wire, running the five and a half furlongs in the ordinary time of 1:07 2-5.

Billy Wise went the way of most favorites over the local strip to date when she could do no better than third in the six furlongs of the second event. The purse went to $11.20 shot Merovech, which Apprentice Jackson sent to the fore after a quarter mile and kept going to prevail by a length. Slave, never far back, closed well to beat the faltering Billy Wise by three lengths for the place. The latter bled. Balmacan, whispered about as a tip, stopped after a flash of early foot.

Fair Grounds Entries.

By the Associated Press.

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $500; special weights; for maiden 3-year-olds.

1	Jane McCrea	110	10 Supremart 113
2	†Jokester	113	11 Airdale 113
3	Sang Ho	113	12 Thunder Lass 110
4	Water Player	113	13 Hasty Hanna ..110
5	Saxopal	113	14 Oddesa May ..110
6	Green	110	15 Chana 110
7	Little Ina	110	16 Malay 113
8	Busy Lad	113	17 †Beaver Lake ..112
9	Juaneva Baker	110	18 Lastos 113

†Mrs. J. J. O'Byrne entry.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $500; claiming; for 2-year-olds.

1	Idle Way	108	7 *Sun Sound ..102
2	Lanquo	102	8 Reunited 111
3	Old Dominion	111	9 Epiwitch 108
4	Isenberg	107	10 *Elanac 99
5	*Imp. Maryan	107	11 Carvola 107
6	Between Bells	108	12 Greyman 111

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $500; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1	*Holland	105	10 *Preferred ..109
2	*Swanky Miss	102	11 *Sarilla 106
3	Thru Fairly	107	12 Mobile 110
4	Pish Tush	113	13 *Time Enough..105
5	*Burgoo	106	14 *Indefinite ..106
6	*Miss Envy	106	15 Two Brooms ..110
7	Liberty Oak	114	16 *Cold South ..105
8	*Dandy Dan	103	17 *Our Hobby ..102
9	Morvim	107	18 Ski 107

FOURTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $500; claiming; for 2-year-olds.

1	Harem Queen	109	10 *Mathieson ...104
2	*Sunnya	101	11 Fool's Folly ..100
3	Imperial Play	106	12 *Judge Bonelli 104
4	*Say Murray	107	13 Wee Emma 109
5	For Romance	106	14 Inference 106
6	Swiftlet	112	15 *Fairest Flag..101
7	*Dorothy W.	104	16 Poppet 115
8	*Paplay	104	17 *Guess 101
9	Lady Scout	109	

FIFTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $500; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1	Nassiyn	106	9 *Son Richard .107
2	*Senator Mike	111	10 Bosopi 103
3	*Black Babble	104	11 *Hereward 107
4	Cloido	109	12 Clovinia 104
5	*Rex Regent	111	13 Sir Michael ..112
6	*Our Prince	104	14 Boston Com'on..113
7	Bright Flame	105	15 Corrymeela 109
8	*Blue Hour	107	16 Skipsea 109

SIXTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; the Sainforth; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1	Thistle Jock	108	5 Never Fade ...111
2	*Hit and Run	103	6 *Exotude 102
3	Defier	111	7 Olcan 110
4	*Sneedo	109	

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $500; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1	Blue Foam	110	10 Golden X. 113
2	Patuxant	113	11 Exceed 110
3	*L. Rockledge	105	12 Ulmer 113
4	Cortie's John	113	13 Prince Man ...109
5	*South Post	104	14 Showman 113
6	Jolly Rambler	110	15 Indian Dance..113
7	*Empress Wu	101	16 *Judge Urban..108
8	*Wyster's Nell	105	17 Hyklas 113
9	Aerial Trum't	113	18 Dug In 113

EIGHTH RACE (substitute)—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $500; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1	*Hey Flirt	108	10 *Probationer ..108
2	*John Mill	108	11 *Imp. Blondy 101
3	Yarnallton	113	12 *Lommern ...108
4	Lord Dean	113	13 Beckville 113
5	*Muff	105	14 Dusky Lass ...110
6	*Wellshire	105	15 *Biz Torch ...104
7	Austerlitz	110	16 Reservation ...113
8	Southland Lad	113	17 Capt. Danger..113
9	Miss T.	106	18 *Bobby Sweep..108

*Apprentice allowance claimed.
Weather, clear; track, fast.

Marshall Bows.

	G	FG	P		G	FG	P
Jefferson, lf	4	1	9	Marshall, rf	0	2	2
Earman, lf	4	1	9	Moore, lf	0	2	2
Maiben, rf	3	0	6	F. Lake, lf	4	0	8
Thomas, c	1	1	3	Waddell, rf	0	0	0
Herman, lg	4	1	9	B. Lake, c	1	1	3
Dale, rg	0	0	0	Galloway, lg	0	2	2
				Churchill, rg	0	0	0
Totals	12	3	27	Totals	5	5	15

Referee—Gibson.

Alumni Wins.

	G	FG	P		G	FG	P
G. Bozievich, lf	2	0	4	Mont.-Blair, lf	0	0	0
Clark, lf	3	1	7	Burger, lf	0	0	0
Wolfe, rf	0	0	0	Shard, lf	1	0	2
J. Fitz'rald, rf	1	0	2	Hunter, rf	2	1	5
E. Fitz'rald, c	0	0	0	Jenkins, rf	2	0	4
Bassett, c	0	0	0	Dietle, c	0	3	3
Leinear, lg	4	1	9	Collison, c	0	0	0
Kreh, lg	2	0	4	Pinchan, lg	4	0	8
Mygatt, lg	0	0	0	Robertson, rg	0	0	0
Linkins, rg	0	0	0	Totals	9	4	22
J. Bozievich, rg	0	0	0				
Totals	12	2	26				

Referee—Bivigney.

Community Center.

	G	FG	P		G	FG	P
T. E. Clark, lf	4	2	10	Enrlick, lf	0	1	1
Donahue, lf	4	2	10	Beck, lf	0	1	1
Barker, rf	0	0	0	C. Wilcox, rf	1	1	3
Mathews, c	2	0	4	Pelta, c	0	2	2
Waldman, lg	1	2	4	G. Wilcox, lg	2	0	4
Darnall, rg	0	2	2	Hurwitz, rg	1	1	3
Understein, rg	1	0	2				
Totals	8	6	22	Totals	4	5	13

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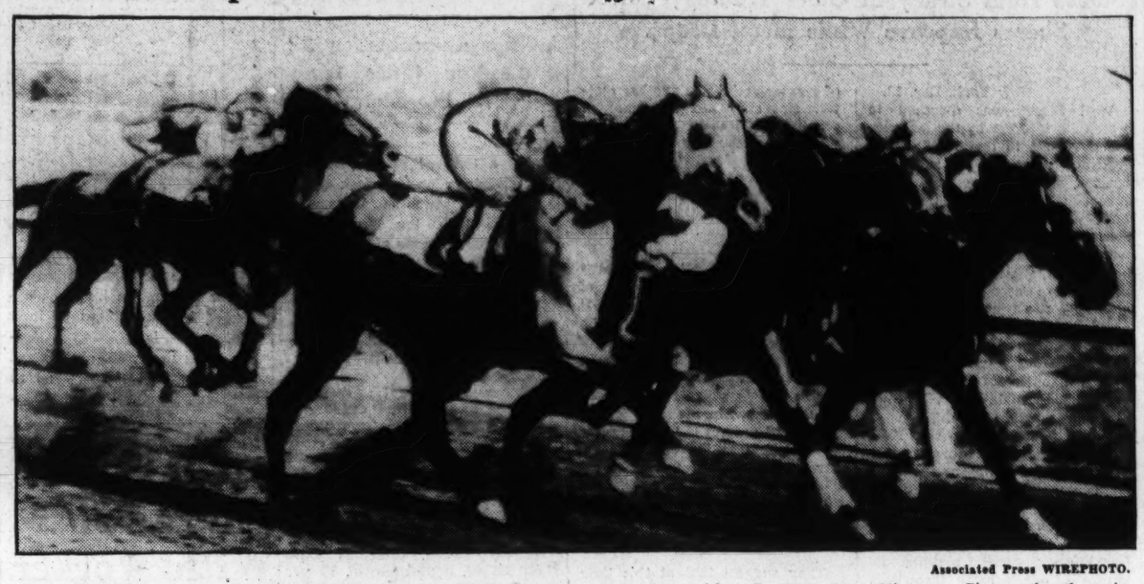

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It was anybody's race at this point in the first event at Tropical Park yesterday but neither Seedling, Miss Aline nor Cicary—the three in front—was the victor. First money went to Muscle In, seen at the rear of the pack.

Roosevelt Bows In Overtime Game

Special Dispatch to The Post.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., Dec. 19.—George Washington High School's basketball team made sensational goals from all angles of the court in their new gym today to nose out Roosevelt High School, 31 to 28, in an overtime battle.

With the score 27 to 25, in favor of the eventual winners, "Shorty" Thompson got the ball in a scrimmage under the Roosevelt basket and scored a 2-pointer with less than ten seconds of play left.

Shu Is Hero.

Paul Shu, G. W.'s pivot man, took complete charge of the extra period and sank two difficult shots within the 15-foot mark to win the game. Thompson scored the Rough Riders' only point on a foul shot.

Roosevelt presented a smooth operating team and easily outclassed the local outfit handling the ball and all-around floor play. However, the George Washington outfit cashed in on their scoring opportunities, and although trailed most of the game, were always within shooting distance.

George Washington plays Tech today on the latter's court.

Geo. Wash.	G	FG	P	Roosevelt.	G	FG	P
Burrell, rf	4	5	13	Kolius, lf	4	1	9
Ennis, lf	0	0	0	Fogel, lf	0	0	0
Shu, c	4	1	9	Thompson, rf	1	3	5
Nugent, lg	2	1	5	G. Coakley, rf	1	2	4
May, lg	0	0	0	Beamer, c	2	0	4
Wells, rg	1	0	2	Comes, c	0	0	0
				Silverman, lg	1	0	2
Totals	12	7	31	McPherson, lg	0	0	0
				Bailey, rg	0	2	4
				F. Coakley, rg	0	0	0
				Totals	10	8	28

Referee—Chase.

Columbia Fire Department basketeers play their second home game of the season Friday night at Armory Hall with the Fort Myer post quint forming the opposition. Two preliminary attractions will be staged.

The Firemen will be attempting to avenge an earleir defeat that they suffered at the hands of the Army team.

Mount Rainier Quintet To Play Alumni Tonight

Mount Rainier High School plays the alumni at basketball tonight at 7:30. In two previous annual meetings the high school teams came out victorious, but it looks as though the alumni will have the better of it this year with such stars as big Charley Callow, Jimmy Glynn, Foster Mathias, Robert Mathias, Robert Bellman, Phil Ziegler and Robert Emory ready to play.

The Mounts will depend upon the following boys for success in the Christmas party battle: Vernon Tood, Leo Baldwin, George Taylor and Steve Miller, forwards; Steve Ager and James MacGregor, centers; Richard Roland, Edgar Shinn, Earl Miller and Tillman Scott, guards.

Guardsmen Win.

Co. F. Hyat.	G	FG	P	Gr. Reserves.	G	FG	P
Costinett, lf	1	0	2	Moran, lf	4	1	9
VanPelt, lf	1	0	2	Klick, lf	0	0	0
Calhoun, rf	3	0	6	Mostow, rf	2	1	5
Bowen, c	1	5	7	Jarrell, c	0	0	0
Cogar, lg	4	3	11	Kopp, c	0	0	0
O'Neill, rg	2	0	4	Liggett, lg	1	1	3
Troy, rg	1	0	2	Etter, rg	2	0	4
				Wanley, rg	3	0	6
Totals	13	8	34				
				Totals	12	3	27

Referee—Hollingsworth.

Stansbury's Wins Two.

Stan. Cafe.	G	FG	P	Cardinals.	G	FG	P
Caffey, lf	4	0	8	Clute, lf	1	0	2
Hodge, rf	1	0	2	Boselebo, rf	1	0	2
Ticer, rf	1	0	2	Boey, c	1	0	2
Dickens, c	2	2	6	Fama, lg	2	1	5
McTash, lg	2	0	4	Howell, rg	1	0	2
Kimmel, lg	2	0	4				
Gessford, rg	2	0	4	Totals	6	1	13
Totals	14	2	30				

Referee—R. Katz.

Stan. Cafe.	G	FG	P	Paul Jr. H.	G	FG	P
Caffey, lf	5	0	10	McNeel, lf	2	0	4
Hake, rf	4	0	8	Bowers, lf	3	0	6
Hodge, rf	3	0	6	Richson, rf	2	0	4
Dickens, c	6	1	13	Wolfe, rf	0	0	0
McTash, lg	5	0	10	Calvert, c	1	0	2
Manning, rg	3	0	6	Wilson, c	0	0	0
				Kimmel, lg	4	0	8
Totals	26	1	53	Glascock, rg	2	0	4
				Peat, rg	0	0	0
				Totals	14	0	28

At the Post . . .

with **Bill Bennings.**

Tropical Park, Dec. 19.

Dear Al:

I would liked to have been making book in the press box for the past four days. The average track customer glances at the press box and says to himself, "There's the place to be. Those fellows are in on every good thing that goes to the post. Not only do they get in free, but they get paid for being here." The truth is that scribes are in no better position to beat the horses than the average fan. For instance, take the seventh race today. I picked Salut d'Armour and Clocker Mike was all set to put a duece on the nose. A colored boy who gallops Black Watch came up to the press box, removed his hat and then buzzed in Mike's ear. It was the word beyond a doubt. Mike arose and was about to call the messenger boy when Trainer Joe came in out of breath. He knew something and it concerned Judge Judy. Mike now had three horses. So he picked up the Racing Form to try to arrive at some conclusion. Just then the press-box messenger went by with a roll from some of the fellows at the other end of the box. "Who're they betting?" asked Mike. Informed that Pass Shot was the horse and that it was a hot tip, Mike was in an even greater ponder, what with only $2 to bet. To make a short story less boring, Mike finally had some reason to play every horse in the race except Mixed Party—the winner.

BILL.

First race—Pretty Busy lost a nose decision last out and had to be rushed during the early part of the race to get into contention. More alert handling at the break tomorrow may see this one collecting a purse. **Cani** and **Col. Bixler** to take care of the others.

Second race—Belle Grier runs few bad races. Gets in this with only steadying weight and I see no reason for mistakes. **Center March** and **Scotch Pepper** to take care of the others. Clocker Mike favors **Regula Baddun** out of that No. 1 starting gate.

Third race—Wedding Ring would prefer an off track, but should run well with these on a fast course. Has turned in a nice work since arriving. **Pompeius** to take the place and **General A.** for the show. The last named didn't run a lick last out.

Fourth race—Jackfull seems the best suited of this field. Stout will be in charge of the saddle work and I'm going to string along. **Matapeake** appears destined to take a portion of the money and **Can Takit** should be no worse than third.

Fifth race—Miss Rainbow gets in with only 103 pounds. She was a consistent miss in Maryland and she will be in the thick of this battle if not the winner. The Belair Stud entry of **Thruster** and **Foreign Legion** figures to be close. **Tightwad** is sharp as that last indicates, but is a trifle over his head.

Sixth race—El Puma may make it two in a row here. This one handled a somewhat similar group last out. **Dancing Cloud** closed well in that recent sprint. Dangerous here. **Primute** for the minor award.

Seventh race—Jezreel turned in a courageous effort in his most recent start. He was pinched back soon after the break and then came with a rush. Goes a longer route tomorrow. **Fairly Wild** and **James Boy** for the rest. Mike leans toward **Periodical** for reasons of his own.

Fair Grounds Results.

By the Associated Press.

FIRST—Five and one-half furlongs; purse, $500; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

Terry Lass, 111 (Vercher) . . . 3.20 2.60 2.20
Sparkling Rose, 106 (Stevenson) . . . 4.00 3.20
Camp Cook, 114 (Price) . . . 3.60
*Might Surprise, Little Joyce, *Dewhurst, Jim Ormont, Claflag, Alwin, Red Cactus, Lastos, *Donna McGee also ran. Time, 1:07 3-5. *Field.

SECOND—Six furlongs; purse, $500; for maiden 2-year-olds; special weights.

Wibbitt, 109 (McCoy) . . . 6.60 3.60 3.00
Registerite, 109 (O'Malley) . . . 3.60 3.20
Drill On, 112 (Garrett) . . . 6.40
Instep, *Louise Dire, Imperial Ann, Busy Billy, Honorary, *Florence Play, *Prince Augie, Two Demand, Staro also ran. Time, 1:15. *Field.

THIRD—One mile; purse $500; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

Cervesa, 115 (Sylvester) . . . 33.80 14.80 6.40
No Mistake, 110 (Hodges) . . . 11.20 6.00
Lover's Chat, 109 (Lowe) . . . 2.60
Wild Daughter, *Skirl, Jack Murphy, Kentucky II, Kilmore, Priceless Miss, *Miss Johnston, *Nellie S. and Stout Heart also ran. Time, 1:43. *Field.

FOURTH—Six furlongs; purse, $500; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

Onside, 105 (Taylor) . . . 31.80 11.20 7.20
Penthouse, 110 (Martin) . . . 5.20 4.00
Jambalaya, 105 (Parke) . . . 3.80
Tiger John, *Dunce, Mentality, *Arctic Star, Irish Cutie, *Zode, San Lu, Premeditate, Henrierva also ran. Time, 1:14. *Field.

FIFTH—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $500; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

Portfolio, 109 (Stevenson) . . . 3.20 2.60 2.20
Enola, 100 (Parke) . . . 6.00 3.20
Habanero, 114 (Frye) . . . 3.40
Just Imagine, Cabotin Canter On, Later On, Portam, Buster B., Baimwawa also ran. Time, 1:43 1-5.

SIXTH—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

Chickahominy, 110 (Stevenson) . . . 2.20 2.20 2.20
Julia Grant, 99 (Polk) . . . 6.00 4.20
Red Diamond, 105 (Duncan) . . . 14.00
Miss Vince, Rishi, Levaal, Sarahmond, Happy Find also ran. Time, 1:12 2-5.

SEVENTH—One mile; purse, $500; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

*Col. Cloister, 107 (Taylor) . . . 39.20 18.80 12.60
Easy Bid, 107 (Tinker) . . . 7.60 3.00
Catwalk, 110 (Stevenson) . . . 3.40
Loyal Loule, *Elizabeth S., Pertinacious, Why Not, Julia Irene, *Bloki, Goron, Edgar Boy, Sunny World also ran. Time, 1:42 3-5. *Field.

Tropical Park Entries.

By the Associated Press.

FIRST RACE—Five and one-half furlongs; purse, $500; claiming; for 2-year-olds.

No.	P.P.	Horse and Jockey.	Wgt.	Odds.
9	1	Bright Emerald (L'berger)	105	15-1
1	2	Cania (Phillips)	106	3-1
7	3	Min Ormont (C. Hanford)	111	20-1
6	4	*Pretty Busy (I. Hanford)	103	4-1
1	5	Entree (J. Renick)	105	15-1
8	6	*Flag Cadet (Coffman)	109	10-1
2	7	Go Quickly (Wright)	114	4-1
5	8	*Miss Bam (Stafford)	106	20-1
3	9	Brockton (Arcaro)	114	6-1
4	10	*Col. Bixer (Greer)	111	8-1

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $500; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

10	1	Regula Baddun (Rosen)	111	15-1
11	2	Scotch Pepper (Stout)	115	5-1
1	3	Starogan (Kopel)	112	10-1
9	4	Cardamon (Litzenberger)	106	20-1
2	5	*Queen Helen (Jackson)	105	10-1
8	6	*Knight's Hope (Kastner)	110	10-1
3	7	Center March (R. Watson)	111	4-1
7	8	Coin (Pollard)	110	10-1
4	9	General A. (M. Peters)	104	10-1
6	10	*Belle Grier (Stafford)	107	5-2
5	11	Chance Favor (I. Ha'ford)	106	20-1

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $500; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

10	1	Pompeius (Arcaro)	115	8-1
9	2	Sweet Mollie (Critchfield)	110	10-1
1	3	Dornoch (Pollard)	115	20-1
8	4	L. Hockberger (H'dricks)	112	8-1
2	5	Lorraine S. (R. Watson)	108	6-1
6	6	General A. (Wright)	115	7-2
3	7	*St. Nick (Jackson)	106	12-1
6	8	Wedding Ring (J. Renick)	111	3-1
4	9	Gallic (Litzenberger)	115	15-1
5	10	Uppercut (Wall)	111	10-1

FOURTH RACE—Five and one-half furlongs; purse, $500; claiming; for 2-year-olds.

6	1	*Sylvia (G. Coffman)	106	10-1
7	2	Cantakit (R. Watson)	114	8-1
3	3	Matapeake (Hardy)	108	4-1
9	4	*Maintenance (Coule)	106	20-1
10	5	*John Tio (Wimmer)	109	10-1
1	6	Krona (South)	113	10-1
2	7	Prince Danny (M. Garner)	108	20-1
8	8	Edri (Jackson)	111	5-1
5	9	Somersault (Wright)	108	6-1
4	10	Jackfull (Stout)	111	3-1

FIFTH RACE—One mile; purse, $800; for 3-year-olds and upward.

5	1	Languorous (Greco)	103	15-1
6	2	*Plucky Baby (Camp)	98	8-1
3	3	*Tightwad (Huff)	105	6-1
1	4	Miss Rainbow (L'berger	103	6-1
2	5	†Thruster (Stout)	106	5-2
4	6	†Foreign Legion (Kopel)	103	5-2
7	7	Brown Feather (Ritz)	106	3-1

†Belair Stud and J. Fitzsimmons entry.

SIXTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

6	1	Eddie J. (Arcaro)	108	6-1
5	2	*El Puma (Coule)	111	9-5
1	3	Idle Along (Wall)	109	4-1
2	4	Primute (Stout)	109	4-1
3	5	Rocky Prince (Steffen)	108	4-1
4	6	*Stricken (Camp)	104	15-1
7	7	*Dancing Cloud (Phillips)	107	6-1

SEVENTH RACE—One mile; purse, $500; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

9	1	Gertrude S. (Rosen)	113	6-1
10	2	Periodical (Porter)	112	20-1
11	3	Colorist (Wholey)	108	20-1
12	4	Jezreel (Pollard)	113	4-1
1	5	Anapola (Wilson)	113	20-1
2	6	Fairly Wild (Mitchell)	116	3-1
3	7	*Mira (F. Ward)	109	20-1
4	8	Pun (R. Watson)	112	20-1
8	9	*Chaumont (Kastner)	107	20-1
7	10	Lone Hand (J. Renick)	112	6-1
5	11	*Gannonnic (I. Hanford)	107	15-1
6	12	*James Boy (Huff)	111	6-1

*Apprentice allowance claimed.
Weather, clear; track, fast.

The Post's Consensus at Tropical Park

The following consensus has been compiled by The Post from the selections of the leading handicappers of the turf. The figures show how the selections were rated.

Consensus of Leading Handicappers

First race	Second race	Third race	Fourth race	Fifth race	Sixth race	Seventh race
Pretty Busy (38)	Belle Grier (40)	General A. (26)	Jackfull (28)	Br. Feathers (19)	El Puma (34)	Fairly Wild (18)
Brockton (14)	Starogan (10)	Pompeius (17)	Cantakit (16)	Plucky Baby (16)	Idle Along (17)	Jezreel (17)
Cania (11)	Centermarch (9)	Wedding Ring (13)	Edri (14)	Miss Rainbow (13)	Eddie J. (11)	Periodical (13)

Bennings (Washington Post)

Pretty Busy	Belle Grier	Wedding Ring	Jackfull	Miss Rainbow	El Puma	Jezreel
Cani	Center March	Pompeius	Matapeake	Belair entry	Dancing Cloud	Fairly Wild
Colonel Bixler	Scotch Pepper	General A.	Cantakit	Tightwad	Primute	James Boy

Best bet—Miss Rainbow.

Louisville Times (Associated Press)

Pretty Busy	Belle Grier	General A.	Cantakit	Brown Feathers	Idle Along	Fairly Wild
Go Quickly	Knights Hope	Uppercut	Edri	Tightwad	El Puma	Gannonnic
Brockton	Starogan	Pompeius	Sylvia G.	Miss Rainbow	Dancing Cloud	James Boy

Best bet—Brown Feathers.

Delaney Faces Real Test in Mitchell

By Bill McCormick.

AL DELANEY, the heavyweight who has created the greatest sensation Washington rings ever have known, will receive a real test Monday night when he is tossed into the fighting pit with rough, tough Terry Mitchell.

Delaney set the fans abuzzing last week by pounding Bobby Godwin, fresh from an upset of Buck Everett, completely unconscious in two rounds. It was not so much the fact that Al knocked out Godwin but the businesslike manner in which he went about the chore that sent the ringworms out of the Turner Arena very much agog.

Nevertheless, the fact remains that Godwin has suffered many quick knockouts in his long career, although few, if any, have been accomplished with the neatness and dispatch employed by Delaney. Mitchell is a different proposition.

Terry Wears Well.

During Terry's career, which has found him much in demand on Madison Square Garden and Twentieth Century Club cards in New York, he never has bit the dust, although he has opposed many of the top-flight big boys. The Irishman's chin is as durable as a lunchroom coffee mug and he also has the very pleasing habit of continually flinging whoopla punches from all directions.

Godwin never was such a much as a puncher, although he always unleashes plenty of wallops. Mitchell is a good puncher—a puncher who, if he lands, can floor the best of them.

Mitchell has proven his worth here. He gave Bob Tow the fight of his life at Griffith Stadium. Incidentally, Tow never had received any recognition in New York until he barely shaded Terry. After that he was offered a shot at the Garden which he was forced to decline because of a recurrent shoulder injury.

Won Over Lipps.

Mitchell also scored over Joe Lipps, who since has been taken in tow by Jack Dempsey and is doing all right on the big-time. All in all, Terry should provide a fitting test for the sensational Buffalo beak biffer whom many are calling "White Hope No. 1."

To support the main event, Matchmaker Goldie Ahearn has arranged what is perhaps the best preliminary card ever offered in Washington. In a six-round semi-final, Howard Scott, lightweight champion of Texas, will oppose Eddie Burl, of Florida, with the winner promised a fight against Petey Hayes, ranking featherweight, the following week. Burl is well known locally. Scott boasts a five-round knockout of California Joe Rivers and a win over Tootsie Bashara.

Mike Tardugno, who is pointing toward a crack at Norment Quarles, will tackle rugged little Joe Bruno, of Baltimore, in a six-round preliminary. In another six, Frankie Litt, a portege of Jack Dempsey, will face Bud Fisher, a Brooklyn lightweight.

Doug Swetnam, local lightweight, will face an opponent yet to be named in a four-round opener, and a four-round emergency bout will be held in readiness to be used if quick knockouts shorten the card.

Reservations for the bouts will be made through Goldie Ahearn's Shop, Ninth and E streets northwest, or Joe Turner's ticket office in the Annapolis Hotel, phone National 9220. The tickets will be placed on sale today for the accommodation of those wishing to avoid being shut off at the Arena box office as was the case when last week's show sold out.

Today's High and Prep School Contests Here

George Washington High at Tech (3:30 p. m.).
Forrest Park High at Roosevelt (3:30 p. m.).
Friends School vs. Alumni at Friends.
Charlotte Hall at Woodward Prep.
Mount Rainier High vs. Alumni.
Bethesda-Chevy Chase High vs. Alumni.

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Chart of Tropical Park Races

By the Associated Press.

Thursday, December 19, 1935.

WEATHER, CLEAR. TRACK, FAST.

FIRST RACE—Five and one-half furlongs. Purse, $500; claiming. For maiden 2-year-olds. Start good. Won driving; place, easily. Went to post at 2:03. Off at 2:06½. Winner, J. P. Smith's b. g. (2), by Leonardo II—Way of an Eagle. Trained by J. J. Murphy. Value to winner, $375; second, $75; third, $40; fourth, $10. Time, 1:07 2-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
MUSCLE IN	116	9	1	3½	2½	2¼	1nk	Litzenberger	$1.95
CICARY	112	7	4	4h	3h	1h	2½	C. Hanford	1.25
MISS PHILURA	106	5	9	6½	4½	3½	3¼	Dias	50.10
SEEDLING	113	4	2	2h	1½	4h	4h	Pollard	13.80
MISS ALINE	109	3	3	5h	6½	6½	5h	Ferrat	122.55
SPARKLING LADY	109	1	4	1h	5h	5½	6½	Garner	10.50
WILEY B. BRYAN	107	8	5	7h	8h	7h	7h	Coffman	1.05
SINGED	100	2	8	8h	7h	8h	8nk	Coule	24.05
COLLEGE BOY	116	6	6	9	9	9	9	Landolt	90.75

Two-dollar mutuels paid—MUSCLE IN, $5.90, $2.50, $2.40; CICARY, $2.40, $2.30; MISS PHILURA, $3.30.

MUSCLE IN broke fast, moved up gamely entering stretch, but carried CICARY out, then came back in and just lasted to win. CICARY might have won but for being carried out entering stretch. MISS PHILURA slipped through on inside and closed very fast. SEEDLING had plenty of early foot, but tired badly at end. MISS ALINE performed well. SPARKLING LADY tired chasing the early pace. WILEY B. BRYAN was outrun.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $500; claiming. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good. Won driving; place, easily. Went to post at 2:33. Off at once. Winner, Miss L. C. White's b. g. (5), by Pharamond II—Abstention. Trained by J. Gorsa. Value to winner, $375; second, $75; third, $40; fourth, $10. Time, 1:13 3-5.

Horses	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
MEROVECH	110	3	1	2½	1½	1½	1h	Jackson	$4.60
SLAVE	113	4	3	4½	3½	3½	2h	Arcaro	4.35
BILLY WISE	112	6	2	3½	2h	2h	3¼	R. Watson	1.35
LADY KILUNA	107	5	6	5h	5h	5h	4¼	Maschek	31.30
BALMACAN	113	2	4	1½	4h	4h	5h	G. Watson	3.70
SUN CLOISTER	110	1	5	6	6

Financing Cuts Reserve Funds 603 Millions

Excess Balances Lower; Gold Influx Less During Week.

By the Associated Press.

The weekly condition statement of Reserve banks disclosed last night that the Treasury's midmonth financing pared down member bank reserve balances $603,000,000, and reduced the excess reserves $800,000.00 during the week ended December 18.

This financing, dated December 15 and invoving more than $900,000,000 new cash, depleted member bank reserve balances to $5,437,000,000, and reduced the excess to about $2,710,000,000.

The statement showed the reduction in reserve balances was transferred in its entirety from banks to regional institutions. Demands for Christmas cash caused money in circulation to rise $61,000,000 to total $5,902,000,000. The recent heavy inflow of gold was moderated somewhat during the week, shipments of $30,000,000 bringing the total to $10,098,000,000.

Treasury Statement.

The statement said:

"The daily average volume of Federal Reserve Bank credit outstanding during the week ended December 18, as reported by the Federal Reserve banks, was $2,498,000,000, an increase of $18,000,000, compared with the preceding week and of $27,000,000, compared with the corresponding week in 1934.

"On December 18, total reserve bank credit amounted to $2,483,000,000, an increase of $9,000,000 for the week. This increase corresponds with increases of $603,000,000 in Treasury cash and deposits with Federal Reserve banks and $61,000,000 in money in circulation, offset in part by increases of $603,000,000 in member bank reserve balances and $11,000,000 in nonmember deposits and other Federal Reserve accounts and increases of $30,000,000 in monetary gold stock and $11,000,000 in Treasury and national bank currency. Member bank reserve balances on December 18 were estimated to be approximately $2,710,000,000 in excess of legal requirements.

Insurance Investment Nears 3-Billion Mark

Philadelphia, Dec. 19.—The possibility that 1935 investments by life insurance companies will pass the $3,000,000,000 mark, a mark never previously reached, is seen by William A. Law, president of the Penn Mutual Life Insurance Co.

Total investments for the year, up to and including the week ended December 7, stand at $2,830,811,940, compared with $1,595,017,421 invested during the same period last year. Investments during the week ended November 9 amounted to $110,569,737, the greatest amount invested in one week of which there is any record.

The Day's Movements In Leading Markets

Stocks.

	Thurs.	Wed.
Advances	199	323
Declines	442	328
Unchanged	197	214
Total issues	838	865

Metal shares bid up, other groups irregular; volume, 1,308,880.

Bonds.

Italian issues weak; transfers, $11,946,000.

Curb.

Mining issues in demand; turnover, 326,000.

Commodities.

Wheat and cotton higher; sugar and coffee steady.

Exchange.

Gold currencies, weak; France, 6.59⅜ cents; Great Britain, $4.93.

Rally in Wheat Overcomes Loss

By the Associated Press.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—Late rallies today much more than overcame wheat-price losses that earlier had followed curtailment of estimates of this season's probable exports of Canadian wheat.

Recovering briskly from about 1 cent decline, wheat in Chicago closed firm at the day's top point, ⅝@⅞ above yesterday's finish, May, 99⅛@99¼; corn at ⅛@⅜ advance, May, 59⅝@59¾, oats unchanged to ¼ higher, and provisions unchanged to a rise of 10 cents.

Futures Grain Prices.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
December	1.01¾	1.01⅞	1.00⅝	1.01⅞
May	98¾	99¼	98	99¼
July	89½	90⅜	89¼	90⅜
Corn—				
December	57½	57⅝	57¼	57⅜
May	59⅜	59¾	59¼	59¾
July	61	61	60⅜	61
Oats—				
December	26½	26½	26¼	26½
May	27⅞	27⅞	27½	27¾
July	28⅛	28¼	28	28¼
Rye—				
December	50½	50½	50½	50½
May	52¼	52¼	51⅞	52¼
July	52½	52⅝	52⅜	52⅝
Barley—				
December	45	45	45	45
May	43½	43½	43½	43½
Lard—				
December	11.80	11.82	11.80	11.80
January	11.85	11.87	11.85	11.85
March	11.85	11.90	11.85	11.90
May	11.90	11.97	11.90	11.95

Cash Grain Prices.

WHEAT—No. 2 red, 1.06; No. 2 hard, 1.18.

CORN—No. 4 mixed, 54½; No. 3 yellow, 57½@58.

OATS—No. 3 white, 30@30½; sample grade, 22½@25¾.

RYE—None.

SOY BEANS—No. 2 yellow, 89, nominal; sample grade yellow, 66@84; both track Chicago.

BARLEY FEED—30@45.

MALTING—46@80.

TIMOTHY SEED—3.00@3.30 per cwt.

CLOVER SEED—12.00@17.00 per cwt.

Brokers' Loans Drop $5,000,000 in Week

By the Associated Press.

Loans to brokers and dealers, held by weekly reporting member banks in New York City amounted to $945,000,000 during the week ended December 18, representing a decrease of $5,000,000 for the week.

The loans for the week ended December 19, 1934, were $658,000,000.

Swift Declares Extra Dividend Of 25c a Share

U. S. Smelting Also Lifts Distribution on Its Common Stock.

By the Associated Press.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—Swift & Co. directors today declared a special dividend of 25 cents per share on the capital stock payable February 15 1936 to stockholders of record January 27.

Swift's annual report disclosed the company's net profits for the fiscal year ended last October were the best in seven years and within $50,000 of earnings for 1928, a boom year. Sales volume in dollars was the largest since 1930 showing a gain of nearly 24 per cent over the year before, and the company announced its net profit equaled 1.92 cents per dollar of sales.

Last October the directors authorized a special dividend of 1 per cent, or 25 cents, bringing disbursements for the year to a total of 4 per cent. Simultaneously the regular quarterly dividend beginning January, 1936, was raised from ½ per cent to 1 per cent.

The company's earnings for the 1934-35 fiscal year totaled $14,767,302, of whcih $6,000,000 was appropriated to a reserve for inventory price declines, a practice initiated two years ago.

Boston, Dec. 19 (AP).—U. S. Smelting, Refining and Mining Co., today declared a dividend of $5 a share on its common, and the usual 87½ cents a share on the preferred stock.

The common dividend, payable January 15 to stock of record December 30, compares with $3 paid on that date last year. Dividends on the common last year totaled $8 a share.

New York, Dec. 19.—Directors of the Shawinigan Water & Power Co. today voted to increase the quarterly dividend to 15 cents per share on the common stock for the quarter ending December 31, 1935, thus placing the stock on a 60-cent annual basis aganist 50 cents previously paid. The dividend is payable February 15 to stockholders of record January 20.

Wool Trade Maintains Record-Breaking Pace

New York, Dec. 19.—New business in wool goods has slackened off somewhat as inventory taking is near at hand and the usual lull in demand for late December has made itself felt, according to the New York Wool Top Exchange Service.

"The diminished interest in the market, however, is only a seasonal condition and of no particular concern to mills, since unfilled orders on the books remain of record-breaking proportions," says the Exchange Service. "Unfilled orders have been estimated by merchants at 45,000,000 linear yards."

Dried Fruits Steady.

New York, Dec. 19 (AP).—Dried fruits steady, unchanged.

The Market

By Carlton A. Shively
A Special Correspondent

Stocks Hold Steady in Quiet Trading; Silver Shares Improve While Metal Drops.

New York, Dec. 19.

Wall Street was disposed to watch its interest in the security markets, but to make only such fresh commitments as suggested by tax sale replacements. The turnover in stocks was around 1,300,000 shares, with prices fairly steady most of the day. Bonds were not greatly moved. Silver had another sinking spell, but grains were strong. May wheat closed ⅝ of a cent higher at 99⅛ cents a bushel.

The feature of the foreign exchange market was an abrupt fall in the French franc to a level which, if maintained, would mean a possible resumption of the gold flow from Paris to New York. Francs were down nearly 4 points from their recent high on news of the resignation of Herriot as president of the Radical Socialist Party. This was interpreted to mean a threat to the Laval government, making its tenure of office more uncertain. Sterling was firm. Continental gold currencies went down with francs. Money markets were unchanged, and such relief as might have been felt from the assurance overnight that no credit tightening would take place as a result of official action may have been offset by the effect of year end and tax date operations which are expected to cut down excess reserves by more than $500,000,000.

Credit Control.

Little surprise was caused by the announcement today that, after considering the advice of the Federal Reserve Advisory Council, the Federal Reserve governors and the open market committee decided not to do anything toward reducing the excess reserves of the member banks. The excess, now amounting to around $3,300,000,000 has been viewed with alarm by several bankers and other observers, and recently the advisory committee, a body provided by law but one composed of independent bankers, recommended that steps be taken at once to reduce the reserve. Suggestions were either that the Federal Reserve Banks sell some of their large investment in Government bonds, or that, as provided by the new law, the reserve requirements of the member banks be raised.

Political Influence.

The Federal Reserve Board, and, for the matter, some of the heads of the 12 regional banks, independent though they may be in thought, may be inclined to keep an ear close to the political ground. Their jobs are dependent upon the caprice of the present administration, and that authority is thoroughly tied to a policy of credit ease. Inflation is a means of giving business an appearance of greater activity is another matter. Not only had the financial community known fairly well what the prevailing views were among the Federal Raserve Bank governors, but it felt the chance was only a mild one that anything toward cutting down the credit pile would be done at this time.

On one point all are agreed namely, that the expansion of bank credit has only begun. It has not amounted to enough to be called dangerous in any sense of the word, nor is it likely to in near future. Argument arises over whether a beginning should be made now in order to insure success of control if later dangerous credit inflation should start. The case for an early beginning has been plead lately by Mr. Aldrich of the Chase and the bank's economist, Dr. Anderson.

Wouldn't Recognize Inflation.

They suggest that at this time the Federal Reserve system could get nearer control of the money market by selling its Government bonds. To do so now would be less likely to cause alarm than to wait until credit was inflated and money had begun to tighten, because such action would be regarded at this time merely as a precautionary measure. Moreover, it is urged, the country would then have the assurance that credit policy was one which actually did contemplate putting on the brakes. That would seem necessary, only to allay doubt that the present Administration, no matter what the necessity, ever would do anything of a deflationary character.

Timely Defense.

One point which proponents of preparedness make is that ever with sympathy for credit control, it is highly doubtful that the authorities will be able to recognize inflation when they see it, and especially so since they will be politically minded; but that is something over which it will do no good to worry. Meanwhile a lick has been delivered in defense of letting matters stand by S. Parker Gilbert, partner in the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. Mr. Gilbert insists that there is no present need of action, and that especially it would be harmful to use the method of lifting reserve requirements.

Mr. Gilbert's main objection, and certainly one with a punch, to present action is that anything that might be done to curb bank excess reserves would be futile as a means of heading off an inflationary movement so long as reserves are being piled up by heavy gold imports. He doesn't bear down heavily on another point, but it can be read between the lines.

French Crisis Causes Sharp Drop in Francs

New York, Dec. 19 (AP).—Renewed tension in the French political situation was followed by heavy losses in French francs in international exchange markets today.

In heavy dealings, the French unit dropped .03⅛ of a cent in New York to 6.59⅞ cents, a level just above the lower gold point at which it is profitable to buy gold in Paris and ship it to New York.

Other gold currencies moved sympathetically. Holland guilders dropped .11 of a cent at 67.75 cents, Swiss francs were .14 of a cent lower at 32.42 cents and Belgian belgas lost .04 of a cent at 16.86 cents. The British pound sterling remained unchanged at $4.93.

Ezra Gould Joins Harriman & Keech

Harriman & Keech, members of the New York Stock Exchange, with local offices at 815 Fifteenth Street, announced yesterday that Ezra Gould, founder and for many years president of the Washington Mechanics Savings Bank, is now associated with the firm.

In 1906 he organized the Washington Mechanics Savings Bank, which was one of the banks that resumed 100 per cent operations after the national bank holiday in 1933, and which later became the City Bank when the Mount Vernon Savings Bank and the Franklin National Bank joined in the consolidation. He was also first vice president of the former Merchant's Bank & Trust Co. and an active member of the District Bankers Association.

Bank Clearings Here Rise 30% Over Last Year

Average Increase for 22 Leading Cities Is 1.5 Per Cent.

The Washington Clearing House reports a total of $21,237,359.22 in bank clearings for the week ended December 18, which compares with $16,301,034.30 for the same period last year, an increase of little more than 30 per cent. Compared with last week's total of $21,139,359.22, clearings increased only $98,319.44.

New York, Dec. 19 (AP).—Following a down trend for three successive weeks, a gain of more than $1,000,000,000 expanded bank clearings to the heaviest aggregate recorded since the period ended October 3. Dun & Bradstreet reported today.

The total for the 22 leading cities in the United States for the week ended December 18 was $6,251,978,000 against $6,160,782,000 a year ago, an increase of 1.5 per cent. For the preceding week, the gain was 7.7 per cent.

At New York, clearings were $4,086,085,000, a decraese of 6.3 per cent from the amount reported last year, while the aggregate for centers outside of New York City of $2,165,893,000 was 20.3 per cent higher.

Figures at leading centers, showing increases and decreases as compared with those of a year ago, are printed herewith; also daily bank clearings for the year to date:

(Totals in thousands.)

Week of December 18	1935.	Per cent change.
Boston	$266,648	+17.0
Philadelphia	381,000	+13.4
Buffalo	34,600	+19.3
Pittsburgh	127,378	+30.6
Cleveland	91,486	+35.6
Cincinnati	62,000	+29.3
Baltimore	66,001	+ 9.7
Richmond	36,000	+ 0.7
Atlanta	53,600	+17.3
New Orleans	34,068	+24.1
Chicago	317,000	+27.1
Detroit	106,161	+25.7
St. Louis	93,318	+21.7
Louisville	33,868	+23.4
Minneapolis	69,993	+20.4
Kansas City	94,264	+11.9
Omaha	35,654	+38.1
Dallas	48,422	+29.4
San Francisco	148,200	+16.4
Portland, Oreg.	28,599	+20.2
Seattle	35,633	+25.6
Total	$2,165,893	+20.3
New York	4,086,085	— 6.3

J. P. Morgan & Co. Lose In Mo. Pac. Decision

St. Louis, Dec. 19 (AP).—Influence of J. P. Morgan & Co. in the reorganization of the Missouri Pacific Railroad was virtually nullified today in a ruling by United States Circuit Judge Charles B. Faris.

Overruling a recommendation of a special master, Judge Faris placed the claims against the railroad of the investment bankers, the Reconstruction Finance Corporation and the Railroad Credit Corporation in the same classification.

J. P. Morgan & Co. had sought to have its claim placed in a separate class which would have enabled it to veto any reorganization under a provision of the amended bankruptcy law that a reorganization may not be enforced over the dissent of a majority in amount of any class of creditors.

Heads New Committee On Customers' Men

New York, Dec. 19.—Henry Rogers Winthrop, a governor of the New York Stock Exchange, was elected chairman of the newly created standing committee on customers' men at the organization meeting of the committee yesterday.

The committee will have supervisory power over all branch office managers, customers' men, service men, securities salesmen, and securities traders employed by members of the exchange and their firms. John A. Cissel, a governor of the exchange, was elected vice chairman.

Associated Power Output.

New York, Dec. 19 (AP).—For the week ended December 7, Associated Gas & Electric System reports net electric output of 68,795,241 units, which is an increase of 11.5 per cent above the corresponding week a year ago.

Penn. R. R. Brake Order

New York, Dec. 19 (AP).—Pennsylvania Railroad Co. has ordered 10,000 sets of "AB" brake equipment from Westinghouse Air Brake Co. at an estimated cost of $1,500,000, it was announced today.

Securities Averages.

Stocks.

	50 Inds.	20 RR's.	20 Utls.	90 Tls.
Yesterday	121.1	42.3	79.8	101.6
Previous day	121.7	42.7	79.9	102.1
Week ago	122.3	43.6	81.1	102.9
Month ago	127.9	41.7	84.8	106.9
Year ago	86.0	36.8	48.9	71.8
Two years ago	87.5	40.8	62.1	75 9
1934, high	105.0	54.3	90.3	93.8
1934, low	76.0	34.1	47.1	66.4
1933, high	102.1	58.0	113.7	96.9
1933, low	42.3	23.5	61.1	43.9

Bonds.

	20 Inds.	20 RR's.	20 Utls.	60 Tls
Yesterday	91.0	82.7	103.1	92.2
Previous day	90.9	82.8	103.1	92.3
Week ago	91.3	83.4	103.3	92.7
Month ago	91.4	79.8	102.9	91.4
Year ago	85.7	82.9	88.0	85.5
Two years ago	71.1	71.9	76.5	73.1
1934, high	85.9	90.0	90.6	88.1
1934, low	72.6	74.1	77.2	74.8
1933, high	77.1	84.9	88.5	83.4
1933, low	58.3	57.0	74.1	63.6

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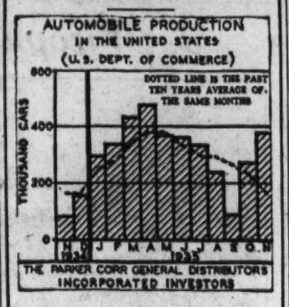
Bank of France.

Paris, Dec. 19 (AP).—The weekly statement of the Bank of France shows the following changes in francs: Gold increased 6,000,000; sight balances abroad decreased 7,000,000; bills discounted at home decreased 357,000,000; bills bought abroad decreased 1,000,000; advances decreased 32,000,000; circulation decreased 841,000,000; current accounts increased 345,000,000; thirty-day loans on government collateral decreased 28,000,000. Rate of discount 6 per cent.

Naval Stores Firm.

Savannah, Dec. 19 (AP).—Turpentine, firm, 43; sales, 26; receipts, 146; shipments, 11; stock, 50 228. Rosin, firm: sales 657; receipts, 1,237; shipments, 2,094; stock, 107,849. Quote: B, 4.00; D, 4.08@4.07½; E, 4.15@4.17½; F, 4.20@4.25; G, 4.25@4.27½; H, 4.30; I, 4.40; K, 4.80; M and N, 4.85; WG, 5.00; WW and X, 5.60.

Autos the Backlog Of Many Industries



Boston, Mass., Dec. 19.—The dependence of other industries on the automobile industry, expressed in percentages of their total output, is as follows: Gasoline, 85; rubber, 80; plate glass, 70; lubricants, 53; lead, 39; iron and steel, 23; aluminum, 23; copper, 19; railway freight, 9.

115 Companies Share Profits With Workers

Wage Incentives in Force With Large Proportion of Corporations.

New York, Dec. 19.—The earning power of American wage earners cannot be measured solely on the basis of hourly or weekly wages, according to the findings of the National Industrial Conference Board in connection with a recent Nation-wide investigation of the industrial relations policies. This investigation, covering 2,452 business establishments and over 4,500,000 employes, shows that opportunities for increasing income are available to employes in a large proportion of business concerns. This represents the first release of data from the board's census of industrial relations policies of companies which employ 15.5 per cent of those gainfully occupied in manufacturing, mining, public utilities, transportation and communication, wholesale and retail trade, and finance.

Financial rewards for usable suggestions from employes for improving product or methods are provided by 566 of the companies, and patent agreements, assuring inventive employes a specified return from inventions adopted by the company, are reported by 376 concerns employing nearly 2,000,000 workers.

Other Wage Premiums.

Profits are shared with employes in the case of 115 companies. The payment of special bonuses for long service is reported by 177 concerns; for high quality of work, by 156, and for regular attendance, by 72 companies. Special incentives for foremen are in effect in 377 companies, and for executives in 354 concerns.

A greater proportion of large concerns offer financial incentives than in the case of small establishments. Patent agreements, for example, are in force in 42 per cent of the 136 companies having more than 5,000 employes, but in only 6 per cent of the 230 establishments with less than 100 workers. Of the large employers 54 per cent have suggestion plans, as compared with only 4 per cent in the case of the small concerns. The difference is less marked in the case of incentive wage systems and special bonuses.

Financial incentives are found more frequently in manufacturing than in non-manufacturing establishments. This is especially true in the case of wage incentives. Among manufacturing industries, financial rewards for various accomplishments are most common in the automobile, chemicals, electrical, iron and steel, and rubber industries.

Cotton Futures - Move Upward

By the Associated Press.

New York, Dec. 19.—Cotton had a generally steady undertone today with the near months relatively firm. March contracts, after selling up to 11.20, closed at 11.14 with the market ending steady, net 7 points higher to 1 point lower.

Futures Price Range.

	High	Low	Last
December	11.46	11.39	11.46
January	11.46	11.39	11.42
March	11.20	11.11	11.14-15b
May	11.04	10.97	11.00
July	10.92	10.83	10.86
October	10.63	10.54	10.56

Spot, steady; middling, 11.80.

Cottonseed Oil.

Bleachable cottonseed oil was easy, closing 5 to 14 points net lower under liquidation and Southern selling. Sales 79 contracts. Bleachable spot nominal: December closed 10.65; January, 10.51; March and May, 10.50; July, 10.51.

Willkie Urges Utility Death Clause Repeal

Industry's Expenditures Would Double Under Sane Rule, He Says.

By the Associated Press.

New York, Dec. 19.—Wendell L. Willkie, president of the Commonwealth & Southern Corporation, leading utility holding company, demanded today the repeal of the death sentence in the public utility act of 1935 as a means of restoring business confidence and reviving the durable goods industries.

Speaking before the Bond Club of New York, Willkie declared "tens of thousands of men in the heavy goods industries are praying for employment and economic freedom.

"Tens of thousands of men can be put back to work in utility construction if sanity will but prevail and the present bill be amended at the next session of Congress.

"Surely, the haters have occupied the stage long enough. Venom and calumny have had their full day. Let us give a little time to constructive effort so that work—not debate—can be applied to this problem."

Willkie continued: "If the utility industry knew today that it could reach a reasonable compromise with the Administration by which the death sentence of the Wheeler-Rayburn bill could be repealed and the sane regulation of the industry established and the invasion and duplication of its systems directly and indirectly by its own government could be removed, it could double its capital expenditures tomorrow.

Heavy Industry Lifts Business To 5-Year Peak

Chief Gains Are Made by Autos, Steel, Power, Freight and Zinc.

New York, Dec. 19.—A further improvement in the heavy industries last month carried business activity to the highest level since August, 1930, and above the speculative peak of July 1933, according to the monthly business index of The Annalist to be published tomorrow. The index now stands at 90.3 per cent of estimated normal, compared with 87.4 in October, and 83.6 in September. Since the start of the current recovery in June it has risen 11 points, and by last month had recovered 55 per cent of the loss between the 1929 high of 116.7 and the depression low of 58.4.

The greatest recovery was shown by the automobile industry. Steel ingot and pig iron production also rose, partly as a result of increased automobile output. A substantial advance took place in electric power production, which rose to above the 1929 high level, while gains were also recorded for freight car loadings and zinc production, seasonally adjusted. Lumber output, however, showed a further slight decline.

Activity in the non-durabe goods industries, on the other hand, was generally lower, cotton and silk consumption and boot and shoe output declining, on a seasonally adjusted basis. The Annalist index of comparative business activity follows:

	Nov.	Oct.
Freight car loadings	66.4	65.8
Steel ingot production	80.9	77.0
Pig iron production	72.2	66.5
Electric power production	108.0	104.9
Cotton consumption	91.3	98.4
Wool consumption	.....	151.9
Silk consumption	62.5	75.0
Boot and shoe production	105.9	112.6
Automobile production	115.0	79.8
Lumber production	76.0	77.8
Cement production	.....	45.7
Zinc production	71.2	68.7
Combined index	105.9	87.4

Denver Mint Sets New Gold Record

Denver, Dec. 19 (AP).—Gold receipts at the Denver Mint set a new record in 1935. More than $52,000,000 flowed into the building from several foreign nations and 14 Western States, the annual report of Mark A. Skinner, mint superintendent, disclosed. It greatly exceeded 1913, when $37,000,000 in gold was deposited for a record that stood more than 20 years.

Old jewelry received this year contained $2,000,000 worth of gold.

Montreal Silver Futures.

Montreal, Dec. 19 (AP).—Silver futures closed firm 25 higher to 100 lower. Sales 26 contracts.

Sales		High	Low	Close
1	December	45.50	45.50	47.00*
2	January	45.00	45.00	45.00*
10	March	45.00	44.00	45.00
10	May	45.00	44.80	44.75*
3	July	44.50	44.00	44.50*

*Bid.

Transactions on N. Y. Bond Market

Range of United States Government Issues

By the Associated Press.

Total bond sales yesterday, $11,946,000; previous day, $13,182,000; week ago, $14,418,000; year ago, $14,140,000; two years ago, $9,049,000; January 1 to date, $3,254,600,000; year ago, $3,658,470,000; two years ago, $3,395,688,000.

(Sales in $1,000, Dollars and 32ds.)

1935 High	1935 Low	Dec. 19 Sales		High	Low	Last	Net chge.	Closing Bid	Closing Asked	Yield
117.7	113.6	4	Treasury 4¼s, 1947-'52	114.29	114.29	114.29	— .2	115	115.2	2.75
106.28	102.28	21	Treasury 3½s, 1943-'45	105.12	105.8	105.12	+ .5	105.10	105.12	2.49
112.8	108.24	12	Treasury 4s, 1944-'54	110.25	110.22	110.23	+ .3	110.23	110.25	2.64
107.29	103.28	1	Treasury 3⅜s, 1943-'47	106.8	106.8	106.8	+ .3	106.9	106.10	2.44
108.28	104.14	5	Treasury 3⅜s, 1941-'43 March	107.17	107.17	107.17	+ .1	107.18	107.20	1.84
108.28	104.18	7	Treasury 3¼s, 1941	108.3	108.3	108.3	+ .5	108.4	108.7	1.71
106.19	102.24	32	Treasury 3¼s, 1944-'46	105	104.29	105	+ .4	105.1	105.2	2.57
105.11	101.26	31	Treasury 3⅛s, 1946-'49	103.20	103.15	103.20	+ .6	103.18	103.21	2.72
105.9	101.15	11	Treasury 3¼s, 1949-'52	103.16	103.15	103.16	+ .2	103.15	103.17	2.82
104.10	100.20	35	Treasury 3s, 1946-'48	102.21	102.19	102.21	+ .5	102.18	102.21	2.71
104.10	100.20	15	Treasury 3s, 1951-'55	102.16	102.13	102.15	— .1	102.17	102.19	2.79
101.28	98.26	524	Treasury 2¾s, 1955-'60	99.28	99.25	99.27	+ .4	99.27	99.28	2.68
101.5	99.26	28	Treasury 2¾s, 1945-'47	100.10	100.16	100.19	+ .4	100.19	100.20	2.68
101.20	98.24	5	Federal Farm Mtg. 2¾s, 1942-'47	100.2	100.2	100.2	+ .2	100.1	100.4	2.74
102.24	100	14	Federal Farm Mtg. 3s, 1947	101.12	101.8	101.12	+ .3	101.9	101.12	2.75
102.20	99.16	7	Federal Farm Mtg. 3s, 1949	100.29	100.27	100.27	— .1	100.28	100.29	2.89
104.5	101.14	3	Federal Farm Mtg. 3¼s, 1964	102.11	102.11	102.11	+ .1	102.10	102.12	2.93
102.16	99.16	114	Home Own. Loan 3s, A 1952	100.24	100.20	100.22	+ .1	100.22	100.24	2.91
101.6	96.20	280	Home Own. Loan 2¾s, 1939-'49	99.15	99.13	99.15	+ .1	99.14	99.15	2.80

XIN—Ex-Interest. CT—Certicates.

Sales		High	Low	Last
14	Alleghany 5 '44	85½	85	85
12	Alleghany 5 '49	77½	77½	77½
10	Am & For P52030	65⅛	64¾	64¾
83	AmICOChem 5½ '49	112	111½	112
26	Am Roll M 4½ '45	120	119	119½
15	Am T&T 5 '65	113⅛	113	113
11	Am WW&E 5 '44	111	110½	111
15	Arm Del 4 '55	94⅞	94¾	94¾
37	At & SF 4 '95	109¾	109⅝	109⅝
23	AC Line 1st 4 '52	97¼	96⅞	97
1	Atl Refin 5 '37	106½	106½	106½
	B			
11	B&O rfg 6 '95	83⅝	83	83
17	B&O 5 '48	107⅛	107	107⅝
65	B&O cvt 4½ '60	60¼	59⅛	59⅝
21	B&O 4 '48	102¼	102	102
1	Bell TPa 5 '48 B	119	119	119
46	Beth St 4¼ '60	104⅜	104	104⅜
63	Boston & Me 5 '63	77	76¼	76⅞
8	Bklyn M Tran 6 '68	107½	107¼	107¼
3	Buf R&P 4½ '57	64⅞	64⅞	64⅞
	C			
3	Can Pac 4½ '60	100⅞	100⅞	100⅞
17	Can Pac 4 perp	87½	87¼	87½
30	Cen Ill E & G 5 '51	98½	98⅛	98⅛
9	Cen Pac 5 '60	86⅝	86	86¼
24	Cen Pac 1st 4 '49	102½	102¾	102⅞
5	Certain-td 5½ '48	95¼	95	95
28	Chesap Corp 5 '47	113⅛	114½	114½
9	C&O gen 4½ '92	118¼	118⅛	118⅛
38	CB&Q gen 4 '58	107¾	107½	107¾
36	Chic Gt West 4 '59	24¾	23¾	24
228	CMSP & Pac 5 '75	16½	15¾	16¼
134	CMStP & P ad 5 2000	6¼	6¼	6¼
101	Chi&NW cv 4¾ '49	10½	10¼	10¾
37	CRI&P cvt 4½ '60	6½	6¼	6¼
49	C R I & P rfg 4 '34	16½	15½	15⅞
10	Ch & W Ind 4 '52	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
1	Chile Cop 5 '47	100⅜	100⅛	100⅛
26	CCC&StL 4½ '77 E	76⅜	76¼	76¼
27	ClevUnTerm4½ '77C	92⅞	92½	92⅞
25	Col Indus 5 '34	47	46	45
18	Col & So 4½ '80	56¼	56	56
1	Colmbia G 5 '52May	99¼	99¼	99¼
29	Colmbia G 5 1961	98⅛	97¾	98
2	Com'l Inv Tr 5½ '49	112¼	112	112
1	Con Coal 5 '50	35⅛	35⅛	35⅛
24	ConKasN Y 5½ '45	105	104¾	105
39	Con Gas NY 4½ '51	108¼	108	108
13	Cuba No Ry 5½ '42	52½	52½	52½
	D			
19	Del & Hud rfg 4 '43	76¾	76	76
23	D & R G 4 '36	27⅝	27¼	27½
2	Det Ed 5 '52	109½	109¼	109½
3	Det Ed 4½ '61	113	112¾	112¾
	E			
133	Erie rf 5 '75	67½	67	67½
17	Erie gen lien 4 '96	75½	75	75¾
	G			
2	Gen Cable 5½ '47	101	101	101
8	Goodrich 6 '45	104	103½	104
4	Goodyr T&R 5 '57	104¼	104⅛	104⅛
32	Gt Nor Ry 7 '36	102⅝	102⅜	102⅜
36	Gt Nor Ry 4½ '77 E	95	94⅝	95
	H			
16	Hous Oil Tex 5½ '40	101	100	101
14	Hudson Coal 5 '62A	40	39¾	39¾
9	Hud&Man rfg 5 '57	80	79¾	79¾
13	Hud&Man inc 5 '57	33	31¼	31¼
	I			
33	Ian Cen 4¼ '60	63	62¼	62¼
14	IC&CStLaNO 5 '63A	70	68¾	70
4	Inland St 4½ '78A	103⅜	103⅜	103⅜
18	Interb R Tr 6 '32	64	63	63
60	Interb RT rrfs5 '66	90½	90	90
11	Int Cement 5 '48	103¼	103¼	103¼
11	Int Hydro El 6 '44	48½	48	48¼
8	Int Paper 5 '47	92¾	92½	93⅛
62	Int T&T 4½ '39	78	78⅛	78
36	Int T&T deb 5 '55	79¾	79¼	79¼
	K			
18	K O Powdr4½ '61	113¾	113⅝	113
32	K O South 5 '50	66½	66	66⅛

Dow-Jones Bonds.

By the United Press.

Bonds.

40 bonds	97.84	+0.01
10 first rails	107.20	+0.13
10 second rails	74.74	—0.13
10 utilities	104.47	
10 industrials	104.94	+0.02

Sales		High	Low	Last
23	K C Term 4 '60	107½	107	107
	L			
2	Lac Gas 5½ '53	74½	73⅝	73⅞
16	Lautaro Nit 6 '54	19

Complete Transactions Yesterday on New York Stock Exchange

By the Associated Press.

Total sales yesterday, 1,308,880; previous day, 1,701,745; week ago, 2,142,960; year ago, 875,275; two years ago, 1,028,226; January 1 to date, 367,070,555; year ago, 317,802,040; two years ago, 644,962,720.

1935 High	1935 Low	Name and Dividend Rate	Sales Add 00	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge.
		A					
11⅞	4¼	Adams Exp (.10g)	27	11	10⅞	10⅞	— ⅜
100¾	83¾	Ad Exp pf (5)	40	110⅜	110⅛	110⅛	— ⅛
37⅛	28	Adams-Millis (2)	6	34¾	34¾	34¾	— ⅛
23⅞	8	Addressog (.30g) XD	2	22⅜	22⅜	22⅜	+ ⅛
18⅝	4½	Advance Rums	11	17½	17½	17½	
8⅝	6½	Affiliat Prod (.60)	2	7½	7	7	
173	104¾	Air Reduc (5¼b)	2	165¼	165¼	165¼	+ ¼
3⅜	¾	Air-Way El Ap	6	1⅞	1¾	1¾	— ⅛
20⅛	13¼	Alaska Jun (1.20b)	3	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜	
3⅝	¾	Alleghany	24	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	
14⅜	2⅜	Alleg pf $30 ww	9	11¼	11	11¼	— ⅛
14½	2	Alleg pf $40 ww	2	10⅞	10½	10½	— ⅜
30½	21	Alleg Steel (1g)	3	28⅛	28⅝	28⅝	— ⅛
173	125	Am Chem & Dye (6)	29	151	148½	149	— 1½
129	122⅛	Al Chem & Dye pf (7)	1	125½	125⅛	125⅛	— 1
23⅝	22⅞	Allied Mills (1½g) XD	1	22⅞	22⅞	22⅞	— ⅛
9	3⅛	Allied Strs	31	7⅞	7⅝	7⅞	— ⅛
37⅞	25	Allis-Ch Mfg	18	33⅜	33½	33⅜	— ⅛
22¾	14	Alpha P Cem (1)	2	20¾	20	20	— ⅛
4½	2⅛	Amal Lea	4	3	3	3	
77¾	48½	Amerada (2)	6	74⅜	74⅛	74⅜	+ ⅜
47⅞	13½	Am Bank Note (¼g)	3	42½	42½	42½	+ ⅜
41⅞	21	Am Brake Sh (1¼b) XD	4	40½	40½	40½	
149⅝	110	Am Can (5b)	15	131½	131	131	
168	151¾	Am Can pf (7) EX	2	164	164	164	+ 4½
32⅜	10	Am Car & Fdy	8	29⅛	29	29	— ⅜
24⅛	23½	Am Car & F pf	3	59	58⅜	58⅜	— ⅜
31⅜	8	Am Chain	3	30⅜	30	30	— ⅛
35⅝	22½	Am Comml Alcoh	6	29⅞	29¼	29¼	— ⅛
18⅛	6½	Am Crystal Sug	18	17¼	16⅞	16⅞	— ⅛
92	72	Am C S 6% pf (6) XD	20	91	91	91	+ 1⅜
3⅞	⅜	Am Encaus Til	14	3	3	3	
9¼	2¾	Am Europ	1	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜	
9¼	2	Am & For Pow	1	6⅜	6⅜	6⅜	
38¼	12	Am & F P $6 pf	1	23⅜	23⅜	23⅜	
42	14	Am & F P $7 pf	5	27½	27¼	27½	— ⅛
17	3⅞	Am & F P 2 pf	1	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	
15½	8¼	Am-Hawaii SS (1)	2	13¼	12¾	13¼	+ ⅛
6⅞	3	Am Hide & Les	7	5⅞	5⅝	5⅝	+ ⅛
45¼	17	Am Hi & L pf	1	36½	36½	36½	+ ½
38¾	29⅛	Am Home Pr (2.40)	18	33⅞	33¼	33¼	— ⅛
4⅞	1⅞	Am Ice	3	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	— ⅛
37¾	14¼	Am Ice pf (5g)	6	17⅞	16⅞	17	— 2⅛
11⅞	4½	Am Internat	11	10	9⅞	9⅞	— ⅛
84⅜	73	Am Locos pf	5	73	72⅝	73	+ 1
29⅝	18½	Am M & Fdy (1b)	5	28⅜	28⅛	28¼	
12⅜	4¼	Am M & Met	3	12⅜	12⅜	12⅜	— ⅛
32¼	13½	Am Metal	16	28⅛	28	28⅛	— ⅛
130	123	Am Met 6% pf (4k)	1	130	130	130	
9⅜	1⅞	Am Pow & Lt	24	8¼	7⅞	7⅞	— ⅜
49½	10⅝	Am P&L $6 pf (1¾g)	3	41	40⅝	40⅝	— ⅜
41½	8⅜	Am P&L $5 pf (1.56¼g)	3	34¾	33½	33⅞	— 1⅜
23⅞	10½	Am Rad & St S	84	23¼	22⅞	23⅛	
159	134½	Am Rad & St pf (7)	10	152½	152½	152½	+ ¼
32⅜	15¾	Am Roll Mill (1.20)	12	30	29⅝	29⅝	— ¼
75⅝	66	Am Safety Raz (5)	2	93¼	93	93¼	+ ¼
21⅞	14	Am Sealing	20	20½	20½	20⅝	
64⅝	31⅝	Am Smelt & R (.40g)	44	58¾	57¼	58	+ 1¼
144	121	Am Smelt pf (7)	3	134	134	134	
117¼	101⅝	Am Smelt 2 pf (6)	4	102¼	102	102¼	+ ¼
25¼	12	Am Stl Fdrs	3	22⅝	22½	22½	
111	88	Am Stl Fdrs pf (2)	80	111¼	111	111	— ¼
43	33½	Am Stores (2)	2	34¼	34⅛	34⅛	— ⅜
90½	50⅜	Am Sugar Ref (2)	9	51⅜	50⅝	50⅝	— ⅜
140½	136½	Am Sugar pf (7)	4	130	129½	129½	— 1½
27⅞	18½	Am Sumat Tob (2b)	8	24⅝	24	24¼	— ⅛
160¼	98	Am Tel & Tel (9)	18	153⅜	151½	152	— 1⅜
104¼	72⅛	Am Tob (B) (3)	2	94½	93½	93¾	— 1⅛
107	74¾	Am Tob B (5)	18	96	95	95¼	— ⅜
10¼	2½	Am Type F pf	7	8	7	7	— ⅛
21⅜	7⅛	Am Wat Wks	62	20¼	20⅛	20¼	
10⅜	4⅜	Am Woolen	7	9¾	9¼	9¼	— ⅛
68⅜	35½	Am Woolen pf	34	63½	62	62½	+ ⅜
2½	⅝	Am Wtg P	11	1⅞	1⅜	1⅞	
11¾	2¼	Am Wtg P pf	16	9½	9¼	9¼	— ⅛
5⅞	3	Am Znic L & S	7	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜	— ⅛
30	8	Anaconda	105	26⅛	26⅜	26½	— ⅛
17⅜	10⅞	Anchor Cap (.60) XD	4	15¾	14⅞	14⅞	— ⅛
109	96	Anchor C pf (6½) XD	20	102	102	102	+ 1⅝
12⅝	3⅛	Andes Cop	1	11	11	11	— ¼
4	1½	A P W Paper	2	3⅞	3⅝	3⅝	— ¼
52	36	Arch-Dan-M (2b)	9	41¾	41⅛	41½	— ¾
6¼	4¼	Arm Ill	28	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞	
44¾	16½	Armstrong Cork (1¼b)	3	44⅛	44	44⅛	— ¼
9⅝	4	Arnold Const (½)	9	8⅜	8¼	8¼	— ⅛
18¾	7½	Assd Dry Gds	24	15¾	15	15¼	— ⅜
106	48	Assd D Gd 2 pf	3	100	99½	100	+ 2
59¾	35¾	Atch T & S F (2g)	15	55¾	54⅞	54⅞	— ⅜
29⅞	25⅛	Atl Coast Line	37	30¾	29½	29½	— 1¼
28	20	Atl Refin (1)	43	27	26½	26⅝	
19½	4	Atlas Tack	9	19	18¾	19	
45½	15	Auburn Auto	1	36½	36½	36½	— ⅛
2	⅜	Auburn Auto rts	81	¾	⅝	⅝	— ⅛
62	35½	Aust Nich pr A (2)	10	42½	42½	42½	— 1½
4⅞	2¾	Aviation Corp	20	4¼	4⅛	4⅛	
		B					
6⅜	1½	Baldwin Loc	47	4⅛	4¼	4⅜	— ⅛
40	7½	Bald Loc pf	6	38	37	37½	— 1½
118	7⅛	Balt & Ohio	40	16	15½	15½	— ⅛
25¼	19¼	Balt & O pf	18	21½	21⅛	21⅛	— ⅜
110¼	100⅜	Bamberger pf (6½)	20	110¼	110¼	110¼	
49½	36⅛	Bang & Ar (2)	1	43⅞	43⅞	43⅞	
15½	3¼	Barker Bros	2	14	14	14	+ ⅛
88	32	Barker pf	10	83	83	83	+ 1
14	5⅞	Barnsdall (.70b)	43	13⅞	13½	13⅝	
60⅞	37½	Bayuk-Cigar (1a)	4	58½	58⅛	58⅛	— ⅛
20⅛	4	Beatrice Cr (½g)	2	17⅜	17⅛	17⅜	+ ⅛
14⅜	11⅛	Belding-Hem (1g)	6	13⅝	13⅜	13⅜	— ⅛
24½	11⅞	Bendix Aviat (1)	61	21¾	21⅜	21⅜	+ ⅛
22⅛	15⅞	Benef Ind Ln (1½)	23	21⅞	21⅝	21⅝	— ⅛
57½	34	Best & Co (2)	3	54¾	54½	54½	— ⅛
51⅝	35⅝	Bethlehem Stl	70	46⅝	45⅝	45⅝	— 1⅛
121½	55¾	Beth Stl pf (3½k)	2	115⅛	115	115⅛	— ⅞
27½	14¼	Bigelow-San	1	23¾	23¾	23¾	+ ¼
17	9⅝	Blaw-Knox (.10g)	23	15½	14⅝	14⅝	— ⅛
16⅜	6¼	Boeing Airpl	42	14⅜	13⅞	13⅞	— ⅛
59⅞	39⅝	Bohn Alum (3)	5	49½	49⅛	49⅛	— ⅛
100	90	Bon Ami (4a)	20	95	94½	94½	+ ½
47¾	38¾	Bon Ami B (2a)	80	39⅜	39⅜	39⅜	
27¾	21	Borden (1.60)	15	25⅝	25⅝	25⅝	— ⅛
65¼	28¼	Borg-Warner (2)	11	62½	62¼	62½	— ½
2¾	½	Botany C M A	2	2⅛	2¼	2⅛	
17½	8½	Bridgeport Brass (.40)	19	15⅜	15	15	— ⅛
55⅜	24½	Briggs Mfg (3b) XD	14	52⅜	51⅞	52	+ ¼
55	23¼	Briggs & Strat (3)	2	46⅛	46	46	— 1
41¾	30⅜	Bristol-My (2.40b)	2	41⅛	40⅝	41⅛	— ⅛
5½	1⅝	Bklyn & Qu T	4	4¾	4½	4⅝	— ⅛
38	14	Bklyn & Q T pf (3¼k)	4	34	33½	33⅝	— 1⅛
46¾	36½	Bklyn-Man T (3)	7	41½	41½	41½	— ⅛
71½	43	Bklyn Un Gas (3)	10	51¼	50½	50½	— 1
63¾	53	Brown Shoe (3)	1	61¾	61¾	61¾	+ ¾
11½	3⅜	Brunswick-Bal	7	10¾	10½	10⅝	
8⅞	4¼	Bucyrus-Erie	1	8½	8½	8½	— ⅛
17⅜	8½	Bucy-E cvt pf	8	16½	16	16	— ⅛
9¾	3¼	Budd Mfg	46	9⅛	8⅞	9	— ⅛
7⅝	1	Budd Mfg rts	22	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	— ⅛
97	23	Budd Mfg pf	2	96½	96	96	— ½
14⅜	2½	Budd Wheel	24	12⅜	12	12	— ¼
24½	8¼	Bullard Co	3	21¾	21	21	
14¾	3¾	Bulova Watch	2	14⅞	14¾	14⅜	
1½	¼	Burns Bros B	1	1	1	1	+ ⅛
9⅞	3	Burns Bros pf	50	7½	7¼	7½	— ⅛
28¼	13¼	Burr Ad Mach (1.05b)	12	25⅝	25⅛	25⅛	— ¼
3⅛	1	Bush Term	2	2½	2	2	
10½	5¼	Bush T 7% deb	4	8⅜	8⅛	8½	+ ⅜
22½	10	Bush T Bldg pf ctf	1.20	18¾	18	18	— ⅜
3½	1⅝	Butte Cop & Z	4	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	
20⅝	11⅜	Byers Co	10	18¼	17⅝	17⅝	— ⅜
60	32	Byers pf	10	60	60	60	
		C					
42½	30½	Calif Pack (1½)	10	34½	34¼	34¼	— ⅛
1⅛	⅛	Callahan Z-Ld	8	⅜	⅜	⅜	
6¾	2½	Calumet & Hec	23	5⅞	5¾	5⅞	+ ⅛
33⅜	7½	Campbell Wy (1)	7	31	30¾	30¾	— ¼
18⅝	8¼	Can D G Ale	263	16¾	15½	16¼	+ 1½
13¾	8¾	Canad Pac	43	10⅞	10⅝	10⅝	— ⅛
40¼	30	Cann Mills (2)	4	38	37½	37½	— 1
14	4¾	Cap Adm A	3	12⅝	12⅜	12⅜	+ ⅛
48	32½	Cap Adm pf A (3)	50	48	48	48	+ 1
8½	7⅜	Carriers & Gen (.20)	1	7½	7½	7½	— ⅛
111¼	45¾	Case (J I)	15	98¼	94¾	94¾	— 3⅜
60	36½	Caterpil Tract (2b)	21	55½	54⅜	55¼	— ½
35⅜	19½	Celanese	101	28⅝	27⅜	28½	+ 1
21¼	16¼	Celotex new	5	18⅜	18⅜	18½	
29	22¼	Cent Aguir (1½)	3	26½	26	26½	— ⅜
22½	14	Cent R & R	1	48⅛	48⅛	48⅛	
65⅜	38⅜	Cerro de Pas (3g)	99	53½	51½	52¼	+ ⅜
12⅛	3⅜	Certain-teed	6	10⅞	10⅜	10⅜	— ⅜
53¼	37⅛	Ches & Ohio (2.80)	52	50½	50	50⅜	
61⅞	36	Ches Corp (3)	15	56⅝	56	56	— ¼
1⅜	⅞	Chi & E Ill	2	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	— ⅛
3¼	⅞	Chi & E Ill pf	4	3⅛	3	3	— ⅛
3½	⅞	Chi & N W	29	2⅝	2½	2½	— ⅛
10⅝	3⅜	Chi & N W pf	1	6½	6½	6½	
2¾	¾	Chi Gt West	3	1½	1⅜	1⅜	— ⅛
5⅜	1⅜	Chi Gt W pf	2	4	4	4	
35	15⅜	Chi Mail Or (2b)	2	32¼	32¼	32¼	
3	¼	Chi M St P & P	3	1⅜	1½	1½	— ⅛
4⅜	¾	Chi M St P & P pf	5	2⅝	2½	2⅝	+ ⅛
18⅝	4⅜	Chi Pneu T	10	17⅜	17⅛	17⅜	— ⅛
2⅜	⅜	Chi Rk Is &P	7	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	— ⅛
4¼	1⅜	C R I & P 7% pf	1	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	
14	9¼	Chi Yell Cab (1)	2	12½	12½	12½	— ½
31¾	25	Chick Cot Oil (2)	4	29⅜	29	29	
9	3½	Childs Co	6	8	8	8	
26	9	Chile Cop (¼g)	50	23⅞	23⅞	23⅞	+ ⅛
90	31	Chrysler (2g)	163	87	86	86½	+ ¼
24⅞	12	City Ice & F (2)	5	14¼	14	14	— ⅛
100	69¾	City I & F pf (6½)	50	74	73⅞	73⅞	— ⅛
6½	3¾	City Strs	4	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	— ⅛
27½	12¼	Clark Equip (.80)	5	27	26¾	26¾	— ¼
48½	27⅝	Clev Graph Br (1¾b)	4	44¾	44¼	44¼	— ¾
47⅜	20	Cluett Pea (1)	10	47⅛	46	46¼	— ¾
90¾	73⅜	Coca-Cola (2¾b)	22	84	82¾	83¼	— 1
58¾	53⅜	Coca-Cola A (3)	1	55½	55½	55½	
21	15½	Colgate-Palm (¾b)	8	19⅝	19½	19½	— ⅛
48¾	9	Coll & Alk (½g)	32	47½	46	46	— ½
108½	69¾	Coll & Alk pf (7)	1.30	108½	108	108½	+ 1
21⅞	7	Col & Sou 1 pf	2	18½	18	18	— 1
5½	⅛	Col Fuel & Ir	10	4	3⅞	3⅞	— ⅛
15¾	3⅜	Colum G & El (.20g)	66	13½	13	13	— ⅛
90	35½	Col G & E pf A (6)	5	85⅝	85½	85⅝	— ⅛
83	34½	Colum Pict vtc (1a)	3	44¾	44	44	— 1½
101¼	67	Colum Carb (4.40b)	94	94	93⅞	94	— ⅛
91¼	39½	Coml Credit (2½)	8	47¼	46¼	46½	— ⅛
72¾	56¼	Coml Invest Tr (3¼b)	5	60¼	60¼	60¼	— ¾
105	97⅞	Coml Inv Tr cv pf (4¼)	3	100	99¼	99¼	— ¾
23⅞	16½	Coml Solv (.85b)	53	20⅝	20¼	20¼	— ⅜
3	¾	Comwith & Sou	108	2½	2⅜	2⅜	
71	28⅛	Com & Sou pf (3)	6	64⅜	63	63	— 1
11	5⅞	Conde Nast	5	10⅛	10	10	— ¼
43¾	27	Congoleum-Na (1.85b)	4	41	41	41	
49	14⅜	Conn Ry & L	1.30	17½	16½	17	
7	1¼	Consol Cigar	2	9¾	9¾	9¾	
74	62	Con Cig pf (7)	30	62⅝	62⅝	62⅝	
7½	3¼	Con Film	5	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜	+ ⅛
22⅛	14¼	Con Film pf (1¾k)	12	18⅛	18	18	+ ⅛
34⅝	15⅞	Con Gas (1)	90	30½	29¾	30¼	
110⅛	72⅛	Con Gas pf (5)	103	103	103	103	— ⅛
6¾	1½	Con Laundries	4	5	4⅞	4⅞	— ⅛
11	6½	Con Oil (¼g)	155	11	10⅝	10¾	— ⅛
101½	101	Con Oil $5 pf	1	100½	100½	100½	— ⅛
1¾	⅛	Con Text	22	⅞	¾	⅞	+ ⅛
19¼	8¾	Container A	2	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛	— ⅛
8½	2½	Container B	2	7¼	7¼	7¼	
10⅞	4½	Cont Bak A	1	9½	9½	9½	— ⅛
1¾	⅝	Cont Bak B	5	1⅝	1½	1½	+ ⅛
67¾	46¼	Cont Bak pf	1	64	64	64	— ½
99¼	62¾	Con Can (3)	18	83½	82¾	82¾	— 1
20½	7	Cont Diam Fib (1.05g)	4	18½	18¼	18¼	
44¾	28¼	Cont Ins (1.45b)	38	44⅞	43½	43½	— ½
2¾	¾	Cont Mot	28	2⅛	2	2⅛	+ ⅛
30⅜	15½	Cont Oil Del (⅝g)	72	30	29½	29½	— ¼
69⅜	11¾	Corn Exchange (3)	70	65½	64½	64½	— ⅝
78⅜	60	Corn Prod (3)	11	68	67¼	68	
7⅜	4½	Coty	72	7⅛	6⅞	6⅞	+ ⅛
39⅞	35⅞	Cream of Wh (2¼b)	3	37⅝	37½	37½	— ⅛
19⅜	11¾	Crosley Rad (¼g)	2	18½	18½	18½	— ⅛
48⅜	23½	Crown Cork (1½b)	3	42¾	42¾	42¾	— ⅛
48	43½	Cro Cork pf (2.70)	2	46½	46⅛	46⅛	— ⅜
99	74½	Crown W P pf (8k)	50	99	99	99	— ⅛
9¼	3½	Crown Zeller	49	8¾	8⅜	8½	— ⅛
35⅛	14	Crucible Stl	5	33½	33	33	— ⅛
2½	1	Cuba Co	1	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	— ⅛
14	5	Cuba R R pf	2	12	12	12	
6⅛	5½	Cuban-Am Sug	4	5¾	5¾	5¾	
80¾	40½	Cuban-Am S pf	1.70	58¾	58¼	58¾	— ⅛
47½	30½	Cudahy Pack (2½)	6	40¾	40¼	40½	+ ¼
24⅜	15	Curtis Pub	81	21	20¾	20¾	— ⅛
105¼	89½	Curtis Pub pf (8¾k)	2	102	101¾	101¾	— ⅛
3⅞	2	Curtiss-Wright	57	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝	+ ⅛
10½	6¼	Curtiss-Wr A	31	9¼	8⅞	9	
95	73	Cushman 7% pf (7)	40	85	85	85	— 4
46⅛	16	Cutler-Ham (¼g)	2	45½	45½	45½	
		D					
58⅜	22⅜	Deere & Co	13	51¼	49½	49½	— 2¼
28	19	Deere & Cp pf (1.40)	7	27½	27¼	27¼	— ⅛
43⅛	23½	Del & Hud	13	36⅛	36¼	36¼	— ⅛

Dow-Jones Averages

By the United Press.

New York, Dec. 19.—Dow-Jones averages:

Stocks—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net ch.
30 industrials	139.11	139.95	138.33	138.94	—1.16
20 rails	39.81	39.98	39.44	39.50	—0.50
20 utilities	28.06	28.39	27.81	28.04	—0.16

Transactions in stocks used today:

Industrials	1,140,800
Rails	36,700
Utilities	65,900

Commodities Range

	Yesterday.	Prev. day.	Week ago.	Month ago.	Year ago.
Wheat (Dec.)	1.01⅞	1.01⅛	96¾	97¼	97¼
Cotton, New York (Dec.)	11.46	11.36	11.42	11.80	12.50
Corn, Chicago (Dec.)	59⅛	57¼	58¼	61⅛	90
Oats, Chicago (Dec.)	26⅛	26⅜	25⅝	27⅛	51
Cattle, choice steers, Balto.	9.75	9.25	9.50	9.00	6.25
Hogs, choice, Balto.	10.25	10.25	10.45	10.50	5.35
Lambs, choice, Balto.	11.75	11.75	11.50	11.50	7.50
Eggs, special, New York	32	33	33½	38	31
Butter, creamery, New York	34¼	34½	34	33¾	30
Flour, New York	8.15	8.15	8.00	8.10	7.00
Coffee, New York	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	11⅛
Raw sugar, New York	3.10	3.10	3.10	3.40	2.60
Steel, bar, Pittsburgh	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.80
Rubber, New York	13.21	13.20	12.99	13.02	12.98
Pig iron, foundry	19.50	19.50	19.50	19.50	19.80
Tin	49.37	49.75	49.62	51.50	50.87
Copper, electrolytic	9.25	9.25	9.25	9.25	9.00
Bar gold, London ($)	34.76	34.81	34.76	34.81	35.00
Bar silver, New York	53⅜	55⅜	61⅝	65⅝	53⅞
Zinc, East St. Louis	4.85	4.85	4.85	4.85	3.72
Lead, pig, New York	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50	3.70

1935 High	1935 Low	Name and Dividend Rate	Sales Add 00	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge.
		E					
135	⅞	Ludlum Stl rts	315	⅞	⅞	⅞	
	90¼	Ludlum Stl pf (6½) XD	127	125½	125½	125½	+ 3
		M					
28½	16⅝	Mack Trucks (1)	17	27¼	27	27	
57¼	30½	Macy (R H) (2)	18	51	49⅝	49⅝	— 1⅜
10	4	Manati Sug pf	70	7⅝	7	7	— ⅛
30	13¼	Manh Ry mod std	7	21¼	21	21¼	— ⅛
3	1	Maracaibo Oil	2	2⅜	2¼	2¼	— ⅛
9⅞	5¼	Marine Midl (.40)	18	9⅝	9⅛	9⅛	+ ⅛
23¾	3¾	Mark St Ry pr pf	10	19½	19½	19½	+ ½
45¼	20	Marlin-Rock (3¼b) XD	1	42¼	42¼	42¼	— ½
14¼	6¾	Marsh Field	12	12¼	12	12	— ⅛
11	4	Martin-Parry	5	10	9⅞	9⅞	— ⅛
33⅞	23¾	Math Alkali (1½)	4	30½	30¼	30¼	— ⅛
57¾	35⅞	May Dept Strs (1.85b)	3	52¼	52	52¼	— ⅛
20	5½	Maytag	2	16	15½	15½	— ⅛
103	84½	Maytag 1 pf (6)	20	102⅝	102½	102½	— ⅛
84	53	Maytag pf ww (7½k)	1	49¾	49¾	49¾	
35½	38	McCall (2)	2	32¼	32	32¼	+ ⅛
14⅞	7¼	McCrory Strs	1	13¾	13½	13⅝	
14⅜	6½	McCrory Strs B	11	13⅝	13½	13½	
111	57¼	McCrory Strs pf	1	110	110	110	
19½	7¼	McGraw-Hill	2	19	18¾	19	+ ⅛
45⅝	33⅜	McIntyre Porc (2)	4	42	40⅝	39¼	— 1⅛
131	90½	McKeesport T (4¼b)	3	121½	120	120	— 2
10¾	5⅞	McKess & Rob	20	9¼	9¼	9¼	— ⅛
40	38½	McKess&Rob pf n (3)	20	39¾	39¼	39¼	— ⅛
15⅜	8½	McLellan Strs	2	13	12¾	12¾	— ⅛
8¾	3	Mengel	1	7¼	7¼	7¼	
41¾	24½	Mesta Mach (2)	5	37⅝	37½	37½	
18½	9½	Mid-Cont Pet (.40g)	20	17⅜	16⅞	17¼	— ⅛
116½	60½	Midl Stl 1 pf (8)	40	111¾	111¾	111¾	+ ¼
	⅜	Minn & St L	1

New York Curb Stocks

By the Associated Press.

Sales in hundreds. | High | Low | Close

Total stock sales yesterday, 326,000 shares; year ago, 227,835 shares. Total bond sales yesterday, $3,400,000; year ago, $4,343,000.

Sales in hundreds.	High	Low	Close
A			
1 †Aero Sup Mfg B	2¾	2¾	2¾
3 Ainsworth (2½g)	47	46½	46½
1 Ajax Ansco	12	12	12
3 †Air Inv cv pf	39	38	38
.75 Ala Gt Sou	76½	75½	75¼
.50 Ala Pow $7 pf(7)	¼	¼	¼
6 Algoma Cons pf	85	85	85
.50 Alum Co Am	21⅞	21⅞	21⅞
1 Allied Prod A (1¾)	109½	109½	109½
4.50 Alum Co Pf (1½)	15½	15½	15½
1 Alum Goods (.60)	10	10	10
1 Alum Indus (.40)	4½	4½	4⅛
2 Am Beverage	4	3¾	4
10 Am Capital A	1		1
2 Am Capital B	86	86	86
1 Am Cap pf pf (5½)	46	46	46
1 Am Cit P&LA(3b)	5¼	5¼	5¼
1 Am Cit P&LB	28½	28	28
16 Am Cyan B (.5Sg)	3½	3½	3½
46 Am Equities (.15g)	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
1 Am Equities pf war	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
5 Am & Fgn P war	18¾	18¾	18¾
.25 Am Pork&Hoe(.80b)	36½	36½	36½
21 Am Gas & El (1.40)	107½	107½	107½
1.25 Am G&E pf (6)	7⅞	7	7⅞
6 Am Gen	16⅜	16	16⅜
23 Am Light & Tr(1.20)	18⅜	18¼	18⅜
7 Am Maracaibo	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
.25 Am Meter	2	2	2
2 Am Pneu	2¼	2¼	2¼
45 Am Sup Power	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜
3 †Ang Wupp (.30b)	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
3 †Arctur Rad Tube	3¼	3¼	3¼
15 Ark Nat Gas A	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
24 Ark Nat Gas A	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜
As El Ind (2.14g)	9	9	9
As G&E	⅛	⅛	⅛
As G&El A	1-32	1-64	1-64
14 As G&El war	4	4	4
10 As G&E pf		1⅛	2
2 As Laund	2	2	2
5 As Rayon	16	15⅞	16⅛
10 Atl Cst Fish	12⅜	12⅜	12⅜
3 †Atlas Corp (.30g)	51	51	51
1 Atlas Corp pf(4)	3¼	3¼	3¼
4 Atlas Corp war	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
3 Atlas Ply	12⅜	12⅜	12⅜
8 †Auto V M (1b)XD	50	50	50
.40 †Axton Fis A (3.20)			
B			
2 Bab & W(.40g)XD	72	70	70¾
2 Baldwin Bond rts	60	60	60
.50 Baumann (L) pf	2	2	2
4 †Bellanca Aircr	22½	22½	22½
2 Black & Decker Mfg	3¼	3	3⅛
9 †Blue Ridge (.13⅓b)	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜
4 †Blue Rid cv pf(.3b)	16¾	16¾	16¾
1 †Blumenthal (S)	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜
1 †Bourjois (1½)	31⅝	31⅝	31⅝
2 Bower R Bear (1a)	38	38	38
2 Bower R Bear pf (2¼k)	38⅛	38	38⅛
.70 Bruck 1st pf (2¼k)	9¾	9¾	9¾
2 Braz T & L	12	12	12⅛
2 †Bridgpt Mach	2½	2½	2½
6 Brill A	31	31	31¼
5 Brill B	31	31	31¼
.20 Brill pf	28½	28½	28½
1 Br Am To B (.936a)	10	10	10
11 Brown Co pf	32	30½	31¼
4 Brown F&WB(.80g)	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞
1 †Brown F Dist			
2 Buf N&EP pf (1.60)	24	24	24
2 Buf N&EP 1 pf(5)	101	101	101
1.50 Buf Niag H & S (½)	52½	52½	52½
2 Burma Ltd (.152g)	8¼	8¼	8¼
1 Butler Bros			
C			
20 Cab & Wire B	22½	22½	22½
2 Calamba Sug(3.60b)	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
5 Can Marc Wire	23⅜	23⅜	23⅜
13 Carib Syn	18¾	18½	18½
3 Carnation (1)	10¾	10½	10½
7 Catalin Corp	10¼	10¼	10¼
1 †Catalin Am	10¼	10⅞	10⅞
.25 Celanese pf (1¾k)	41	41	41
1 Cen P&L pf (1¾k)	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
13 Cen St El	25	24	25
2 Cen St E 7 pf	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
1 †Centrif Pi (.40)	34½	34	34
1 Childs pf	2¾	2½	2½
78 Cities Service	40⅜	37½	40⅜
25 Cit Serv pf	3½	3⅜	3½
2 Cit Serv B pf	37⅜	36	37⅜
.60 Cit Serv B B pf	40	40	40
.50 Cit Svc P 7 pf	40	40	40
.50 Cit Svc P 6 pf	11¾	11½	11¾
4 City Auto Stpg (.60)	¾	¾	¾
5 Claude Neon Lts	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜
2 Cleve El Ill (2)XD	51	51	51
6 Club A Uten	1⅛	1	1⅛
2 †Colon Oil	52	51	51
6.25 Colts Pat F (1¾b)			
6 Colum O & G vtc	96	95⅞	96
2 Comwlth Edis (4)			
10 Comwlth & So war	1½	1½	1½
1 †Comm Wat Svc	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
73 †Como Mines	1¼	1¼	1¼
2 †Como Sh M (½)	12½	12½	16
6 †Cons Aircraft	16⅛	16	5⅛
30 Cons Cop Min	5⅛	5⅛	85
2 †Cons G&EBal(3.60)	85	85	87
.50 Cont G&E p pf (7)	87	87	
1 Cont Oil Mex	⅜		6¾
1 †Cooper-Bess	6¾	6¾	4½
2 Copper Range	5½	5½	53⅜
4 Cord Corp	4½	4½	¾
3 †Corroon & Rey	¾	¾	2
3 †Cosden Oil Me	2½	2	13¾
4 Cosden Oil Me pf	13¾	13¾	26
5 Courtaulds (.39g)	26¼	25¾	20
15 Crane Co	20⅝	19½	9¼
210 Creole Pet	9¼	9¼	12
4 Crocker Wh	12	11⅞	1½
89 Croft Brewing	1½	1½	106½
2 †Crown C Pet	106½	106½	1⅛
1 Cuneo Press pf(6½)	1⅛	1⅛	
19 †Cusi Mex			
D			
4 Darby Pet (¾g)	8	7⅞	8
4 Dictograph	6¾	6½	6½
5 Dow Chem (2)	95	94	95
1 Dubilier Con	1	1	10
1 Duval Tex	10	10	
E			
2 Eagle Pich Lead	3½	3½	3½
1 East Gas & F	40½	40	40½
5 East G & F 6 pf (6)	22	21¾	21¾
2 East Sta A pf	22	21	21¾
4 East Sta B pf	6¾	6¾	6¾
2 Easy W MB(½)XD	2	2	2
2 †Eisler Elec	15	14⅝	14⅞
61 El Bond & Sh	74	74	74
6 El B&Sh pf (6)	9	8¾	9
5 El Pow As	7½	7½	7½
10 El Pow As A	14½	13½	14
4.25 El Pwr A pf 2d pf A	93	92	92
8.75 †Elect Sh pf (3h)	40	40	40
.50 Emp G&F 8 pf	38	38	38
.25 Emp G&F 6 pf		1⅞	2⅛
20 †Equity Corp	17⅝	17⅝	17½
7 †Ex-cello A&T			
F			
5 †Fairchild Av	7⅜	6¾	6¾
1 †Falstaff Brew	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞
1 †Fanny Far (½)	13⅛	13⅜	13½
1 †Fansteel Met	17½	17½	17½
10 †Ferro Enam (.80)	26½	25¾	25¾
.10 Fire As Phila(2½b)	81	81	81
.22 Fisk Rub	6¼	5⅞	5⅞
.25 Fisk Rub pf (6)	51	51	51
3 Flintkote A (1g)	38¾	38¼	38½
9 Ford M Can A(1g)	25	24⅞	24⅞
15 Ford M Ltd (.177g)	8⅝	8½	8½
.50 †FroedG cv pf(1.20)	16¼	16¼	16¼
G			
5 Gen Invest	1	1	1
2 Gen Invest war	3-32	3-32	3-32
2 Gen Out Adv pf	68½	68½	68½
1 Gen Razor A	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
7 Gen Tele	13¾	13¾	13¾
6.50 Gen T & Rub	72⅜	69⅝	70½
1 Gen Tele pf (3)	47½	47½	47½
2 †Gilbert (A C)	6½	6½	6½
10 Glen Alden (2b)	17¼	16¾	17
9 †Globe Und (.60a)	2½	2½	2½
4 †Gold Seal Elec	1⅛	1	1
5 Goldfield Con	9⅛	9⅛	9⅛
1 †Grand RV(½) XD	130½	130	130½
.20 Gt Atl&P nv (7b)	128	128	128
.10 Gt A&P 1st pf (7)	22¾	22¾	22¾
1 Gt Nor Pap (1)	8½	8½	8½
3 Greenf T & D			
1 Guard Invest	73	71½	72¾
12 Gulf Oil Pa			
H			
2 Hall Lamp (.20g)	6	5⅞	5⅞
1 †Hartman Tob	11	11	11
1 †Hazeltine (1¾b)	9⅞	9¾	9⅞
8 †Hecla Min (.40)	2¾	2½	2¾
5 †Helena Rubin	30¾	30⅝	30¾
8 †Hir Walker	14	13¾	14
12 Holling Gold (.90b)	32½	32½	32½
1 †Horn & Hard (1.60)	73¼	73¼	73¼
1 †Holt (H) A(.10g)	21⅞	21⅜	21¾
15 †Hud B M&S(1½g)			

Sales in hundreds.	High	Low	Close
1 Huylers Del	60¾	60	60¾
39 Humble Oil (1)	37½	37	37
4.50 Huy Del pf stpd(4)	2½	2⅜	2½
2 †Hygrade Fd	35½	35½	35½
.50 Hygrade Sylv (2)			
I			
2.50 Ill P&L $6 pf	34	33¾	34
12 Imp Oil Can (1¼b)	20	20	20
2 Imp T Can (.32½b)	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝
1 Ind Ter Ill A	3	3	3
1 Ind Ter Ill B	3¼	3¼	3¼
3 Ind Pipe Line (.35b)	5½	5½	5½
1.50 Ins Co N Am (3b)	75¾	75½	75¾
11 Int Mining war	3¾	3⅝	3⅝
41 Internat Pet (2½b)	34⅛	33⅞	34
2 †Inters Hos (2)	32	31⅝	31⅝
.50 Iron Fireman vtc(i)	28	28	28
23 †Ital Superpow A	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞
17 Ital Super Deb rt	⅛	⅛	⅛
J			
3 Jones & Lau Stl	29⅝	29	29
K			
2 †Kingsb Brew	1⅛	1	1
1 †Kolster-Brandes	½	½	½
1 †KoppersG&C pf(6)	98	98	98
1 †Krueger Brew (1)	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝
L			
4 Lake Shore M (4b)	52¾	52¼	52¾
10 Lakey Fdy & M	22⅜	22⅜	22⅜
1 †Lefc Real pf(21gk)	7	6¾	6¾
28 Lehigh C&N (.30)	75½	75	75½
4 †Lerner Strs (2)	7	7	7
2 †Lion Oil	7⅛	7	7⅛
12 †Lockheed Aircr	9¾	9½	9½
6 Lone Star G (.40)	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
32 Long Is Lt	79	78¼	78¼
24 Long Is L pf (7)	70¼	68¾	68¾
2.75 Long IsL pf B (6)	7	7	7
1 Loudon Pkg (½)	10¼	10	10¼
21 †Louis L&E (.40)			
M			
1 McWill Dredg (3b)	51½	51½	51½
3 Marc Int M (.263g)	8½	8⅛	8⅛
2 Marylan Oil Cas	3¼	3⅛	3⅛
.50 Massmate (½g)	62	62	62
5 Massey Harris	6¾	6	6⅜
1 †Mead John (3a)	85½	85½	85½
7 †Merritt-C & S	3	2	2
2 †Michigan G & O	2	2	2
3 Michigan Sug	¾	¾	¾
1 Mid St Pet B vtc	¾	¾	¾
3 Mid West Util	22¼	22	22
3 Midland Stl (½g)	46	46	46
.25 Midvale (1g)	23	22½	22½
.50 Minn M&M (3½b)XD	16	15½	15½
2 †Mock J Voeh (1)	76	76	76
.25 Mohawk-H 1 pf (4)	10¼	9¾	10
24 †Molybdenum	143	143	143
.80 Monte W A (7) XD	5¼	5⅛	5⅛
3 Mount Prod (.60)	140½	139	139
30 Mount St T&T (8)	27¾	27½	27½
11 Mueller Brass			
N			
3 †Nat Bellas Hess	13⅛	12¾	12¾
1 Nach Sprg (½g)	12¼	12	12¼
1 N Bd & Sh (1¼b)	42	42	42
2 Nat Fuel G (1¼b)	19	18⅞	18⅞
5 †Nat Invest	2	2	2
1 Nat Invtrs war	¾	¾	¾
3 Nat Leather	1¼	1¼	1¼
.50 Nat P & L pf (6)	79½	79½	79½
6 †Nat Rub Mch	6¾	6½	6¾
1 Nat Service	2	2	2
3 Nat Sug Ref (2)	23	22½	23
1 Nat Trans (¾g)	9½	9½	9½
2 †Nat Un Rad	2	2	2
2 †Nelson (H)	8½	8	8½
1 New Bradford (.20)	3	3	3
1 N J Zinc (2½b)	72	72	72
1 N Mex & Ariz	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
1 †Newmont M (1½g)	71	71	71
1 N Y Auction	3	3	3
4 †NY & H Ros(4½b)	36¾	36¾	36¾
1 NY Transit (.30)	4⅛	4¼	4¼
37 Niag Hud Pow	8½	8½	8½
5 Niag Hud A war	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
4 Niag Hud B war	1¼	1¼	1¼
4 Niag Sh Md B (.02f)	2¾	2¾	2¾
15 †Nipissing M (⅜g)	4½	4½	4½
6 †Noma Elec	3	3	3
1 †Nor Am Ut Sec			
7 †Nor Europ Oil	7¾	7¾	7¾
1 Nor Pipe L (½)			
O			
1 Ohio Brass B (1g)	29	29	29
.50 Ohio Ed pf (6)	100½	100½	100½
2 Outboard Mot A	11¼	11	11¼
1 †Overseas Sec	5¼	5¼	5¼
P			
4 Pac G&E 1 pf (1½)	29⅛	28⅞	29⅛
.25 Pac Lighting pf (6)	106½	106½	106½
1 †Pac Tin spec (2g)	43¼	43	43
1 †Pan-Am Air (1g)	40	40	40
154 †Pantepec Oil	4¼	4¼	4⅛
13 Parke D (2.20a)XD	44¾	44¼	44½
2 Park R-Pr (3a)	74¼	74	74
30 Pennroad (.20g)	3⅝	3½	3½
.10 Pa P & L 7 pf (7)	107¼	107¼	107¼
.10 Pa P & L 6 pf (6)	100¾	100¾	100¾
3 Pa W & Pw (4)	89	88	88½
.40 Pepperell (3)	63½	62¾	62¾
4 Phila Co (1)	12¼	12	12¼
9 †Phoenix Sec	4¾	4¾	4¾
3 †Phoen Sec pf (3)	39⅛	39⅛	39⅛
1 †Pierce Governor	7¼	7¼	7¼
9 Pitney-Bowes (1¼b)	73¼	71¾	72
5 Pitts L E (3½b)	93	92	92
4 Pitts Pl Gl (2)	3¾	3½	3½
4 Pleas Val Wine	4	3¾	4
7 †Potrero Sugar	36¼	36	36¼
2 †Pratt & Lam(1¼b)	15⅞	15⅞	15⅞
6 Premier Gld (.14b)	1¾	1⅝	1⅝
10 Prod Roy	⅜	⅜	⅜
4 Propper McCall	9¾	9¾	9⅝
1 †Pruden Inv	32	32	32
.10 Pub S Ind $7 pf	45¾	45¾	45¾
.25 Pug Sd P 5 pf	17⅜	17⅜	17⅜
1.25 Pug Sd P 6 pf	2	2	2
.50 Pub Ut Sec n pf	53¼	53¼	53¼
2 Pyrene (.20g)	54	54	54
.50 P Svc N Ill no par			
Q			
.40 Quaker Oats (6b)	135	135	135
.25 Quebec Pow (1)	16½	16½	16½
R			
1.50 Rwy & Lgt Sec	17½	17½	17½
8 †Reiter-Fost	11¾	11½	11½
3 †Reliable Strs	1½	1½	1½
6 Reynolds Inv	11⅞	10⅞	10⅞
12 Rice StixDGds	2¼	2	2
21 Rich Oil pf	5¼	5	5
5 Richmond Rad	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜
1 †Root Pet	3¾	3¾	3¾
2 Rossia Intl	38¼	38¼	38¼
1 †Royal Type	4	4	4
3 Rustless Iron & Stl	2	2	2
1 Ryan Cons			
S			
2 †St Anth Gold	3⅜	3⅜	3½
46 St Regis Pap	60½	59½	60½
.30 St Regis Pap pf	6¾	6⅝	6⅞
3 Salt Cr Con(.17g)XD	6¾	6¾	6¾
1 Salt Cr Prod (.80)	31⅛	31⅛	31⅛
1 Schiff Co (2)			
1 Schulte R Est	32	32	32
.50 Scovill Mfg (1)	46½	46½	46½
1 †Seeman Bros (3b)	1¾	1¾	1¾
3 Segal Lock	7	7	7
2 †Seton Leather	4¾	4¾	4¾
4 †Shattuck Denn	21¼	21¼	21¼
4 †Shenandoah	49¾	49¾	49¾
4 †Shenandoah pf	124⅝	124	124⅝
5 Sherwin-Wms (4)	107	107	107
.10 Sherw Wms AApf(6)	19½	19¼	19¼
3 Smith Corona vtc	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
1 †Sonotone	4½	4½	4½
3 So Am G&Pl (.30g)	32¼	32	32
4 So Penn Oil (1.60)	27⅛	26¾	27⅛
3 So C Ed B pf (1½)	3	3	3
1 So Col Pow A	4¾	4¾	4¾
1 South Pipe (.30g)			
1 Span & Gen	3¼	3¼	3¼
1 †Stand Brew	34½	34½	34½
.50 Stand C&Seal(2.80b)	4	4	4
1 Stand Dredge	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛
2 St Oil Ky (1¼b)	22¼	22¼	22¼
1 St Oil Ohio	2½	2½	2½
1 St Pow&L B	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
7 †Stan Sil-Lead(.01g)	17	17	17
7 †Stutz Mot Am	23⅜	23⅜	23⅜
1 Sullivan Mach	20¼	20¼	20¼
18 †Sunray Oil	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
41 †Sunshine Mng (2)	20¼	19¾	20¼
1 Swiss Oil Corp (½b)	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
T			
5 Taggart	5⅝	5¼	5⅝
29 Tastycrast A	3¾	3½	3¾
20 Technicolor	17¾	17¼	17¼
24 †Teck-Hugh G (.40)	5	4⅞	5
28 †Tex Gulf Prod	4¼	4⅛	4¼
1 Tob Prod Exp (.10g)	3½	3½	3½
3 †Trans-Lux (.20g)	3¼	3⅛	3⅛
1 Tri-Cont war	⅛	⅛	⅛
13 Tubize Chat	6¾	6	6⅝
2 Tubize Chat A	25	24	25
2 †Tung-Sol Lamp	10¼	10	10
6 Tung Sol L pf new	14⅜	14	14¼
U			
1 Un Gas Can (.10g)	8¼	8⅛	8⅛
3 Union Tob	9⅝	9½	9⅝
2 United Aircr war	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
5 Unit Corp war	3	2¾	2¾
52 United Gas			
6 Unit Gas war	78	77½	77½
3 Unit Gas pf	2½	2½	2½
22 Un Lt & Pow A	21⅝	21⅜	21⅝
10 Un Lt&P cv pf	39½	39½	39½
10 Unit Sh M pf (1½)	1	1	1
50 U S Elec Pow	20	19½	19¾
9 U S Foil B (.60)	1	1	1
1 †U S Lines pf	5¼	5¼	5¼
1 U S Radiator	30	30	30
.25 U S Rad pf	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
3 Unit Verde (2.45g)	4	3¾	3¾
26 †Unit Wall Paper	46	46	46
50 Ut P&Lpf(2.33⅓sk)	3¼	3¼	3¼
50 Utility Equities	1	1	1
13 Util Power & Lt	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
2 Utility & Ind			
2 Util & Ind pf			
V			
62 †Venezuel Pet	1⅜	1⅜	1½
W			
2 Waco Aircr	5⅞	5½	5½
9 Wahl Co	5¼	5¼	5¼
9 Walgreen war	20	19½	19½
9 †Wayne Pump	4¼	4¼	4¼
1 †West Va C & C	39⅝	39⅝	39⅝
1 West Auto Sup A(3)	63½	62½	63½
50 West Ut $6 pf (3)	5¼	5¼	5¼
8 †Willson Cnf	28¾	28¾	28¾
1 Wilson Jones (2)	54¼	54¼	54¼
5 †Woodley Pet	8	7⅞	8
26 Wright Harg (.60b)			
Y			
5 †Yukon Gold	1¾	1⅝	1⅝

Apple Mary

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The Federal Diary

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PLANS for local observance of National Civil Service Week will be mapped tonight at the meeting of the District Department of the American Federation of Government Employes at the Pythian Temple, at 8 o'clock.

National Civil Service Week will be observed January 12 to 16, commemorating the adoption of the civil service act on January 16, 1883.

BAKER.

The Community Center Department will participate in the recognition of the anniversary, as will various other local organizations. The Civil Service Commission has indicated that it will co-operate, as it did last year, when its participation in the occasion was most effective.

From many parts of the country has come word of much interest in the event. In New York, two large meetings have been arranged for discussion of the civil service law. The other is scheduled for January 17, and further observance in that locality is being planned.

Schools and colleges have made known their readiness to co-operate, and the presidents of many institutions have informed national headquarters of the AFGE that their faculties of economics and political science will bring Civil Service Week to the attention of the student bodies.

Members of Congress and officials of executive departments have sent many messages of interest in the observance of the week and of sympathy for the principles of the merit system. The National League of Women Voters, which will be active throughout January in the interest of Civil Service, has prepared for distribution a leaflet recounting the advantages of the merit system.

Stenographic Section, Life Insurance Claims Division, Veterans Administration, which unit last year contributed foodstuffs to the needy throughout the Central Union Mission, will repeat the program this year in what promises to be a "better way." The employes are sending a money order to the Mission toward which each has contributed, according to M. F. Kennedy (P), who is assisting in the project.

TWO employes of Veterans' Administration will retire December 31, each with a long record of service.

Dr. Alexander S. Barger, Widows and Dependents Claims Service, will complete more than 39 years with the Government.

Harry Taylor, of the same office, will retire with an enviable record of 17 years.

$2,300 and $3,200 Jobs Open.

Examinations for positions with salaries ranging from $2,300 to $3,200 a year are announced by Civil Service Commission as follows:

Transportation tariff examiner (freight), $2,300 a year; transportation tariff examiner (passenger), $2,300 a year, Interstate Commerce Commission. At least four years' experience of a certain specified kind is required.

Rate agent, $3,200 a year, Bureau of Motor Carriers, Interstate Commerce Commission. At least three years of responsible supervisory experience with a motor carrier in the handling and settlement of transportation rates or fares is required.

Additional information may be obtained from Civil Service Commission, Seventh and F streets northwest.

Diary Guest Tickets.

IF F, P or C appears after your name in this column, call in person today only between 3:30 and 5 p. m. You will receive tickets to one of the following Loew's theaters: F, Loew's Fox (stage, "The Greatest Indoor Circus Ever Presented;" screen, Warner Oland, in "Charlie Chan's Secret"); or to P, Loew's Palace (Will Rogers, Bill Robinson and Dorothy Wilson "In Old Kentucky"); or to C, Loew's Columbia (Francis Lederer, Frances Dee and Benita Hume, in "The Gay Deception").

Federal Bridge League.

The first half of the Federal Bridge League's season ended this week at 2400 Sixteenth street northwest with the District Government team, composed of E. P. Brooke (C), L. R. Waston (C), Lieut. Comdr. W. A. Corley (C), Benton Brooks (C), and E. C. Link finishing in first place with a lead of 7½ boards over the Argonne Marines.

The District Government team will meet the winner of the second half for a play-off for the Luther C. Steward Trophy in the spring.

The Ag-War team finished first in the second section. The team consists of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Coldwell and a son, E. A. Coldwell and a niece, Miss A. E. Ledford.

High pairs in the final night's session were:

In section 1-A, N and S, Miss Mazie Buie and H. F. Tillotson, Argonne Marines, with .705 average; E and W, Lieut. Comdr. Corley and Benton Brooks, District Government, with .650 average.

In section 1-B, N and S, Mrs. Helen Quayle and Frank Lord, Swobbers, with .633 average; E and W, Marian Egi and K. W. Greene, with .617 average.

In section 2, N and S, W. C. Fewell and W. E. Hughes, Alphas, with average of .642; E and W, C. C. Munchmeyer and P. Gerardi, Agriculture, with .646 average.

Final standings in the first half, as compiled by Paul E. Golden (F), Bureau of Standards, league president, are:

	Aver.	Boards Won.	Lost.	Bds. Bh. Lers.
District Govt	.633	141	79	7½
Argonne Marines	.618	133½	82½	21½
Phychema	.555	119½	96½	21½
Swobbers	.547	105	87	26
Coast Survey	.534	110½	98½	26½
Internal Revenue	.533	112½	95½	29½
Leatherneckes	.520	103½	92	29½
Agriculture	.517	109	102	30
Nomads	.516	102	96	29
P. W. A. (Men)	.515	105½	101½	32
Architects	.510	92½	91½	32
G. P. O.	.503	94½	92½	32
B. A. I.	.497	98	99	33½
Bumpers	.494	85½	87½	34
Air War	.493	82½	82½	34
Alphas	.493	101½	106½	35½
Interior	.486	87½	92½	35½
Des Chappelles	.472	85½	98	38
Prospectors	.470	87	98	38
Wolves	.469	80	87	39
High Rollers	.465	80	93	39
Plants	.460	86½	97½	40½
P. H. L. B.	.444	77	94	42½
Jutseys	.437	73

Robbery Yields $215 Loot.

A fur coat and three dresses, valued at $215, were stolen from the home of Mrs. Peggy Jones, 30, 1619 R street northwest, yesterday, police reports show.

DIED

TREMBLY, DAISY ALEXANDER. On Tuesday, December 17, 1935, at her residence, the Shoreham Hotel, DAISY ALEXANDER TREMBLY, wife of Royal H. Trembly. Services and interment at Albany, N. Y., on Saturday, December 21, at 2 p. m.

YOUNG, JOHN McMURTRY. At Fort Pierce, Fla., JOHN McMURTRY YOUNG. Services and interment at Arlington National Cemetery, on Saturday, December 21, at 11 a. m.

DIED

ANDERSON ELIZABETH. On Wednesday, December 18, 1935, at 220 H st. ne., ELIZABETH ANDERSON (nee Elliott), widow of Charles Anderson and daughter of the late John and Josephine Elliott. Remains resting at Timothy Hanlon's funeral parlors, 641 H st. ne. Funeral from the above funeral home on Friday, December 20, at 2 p. m. Interment Congressional Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited.

BAYLOR, ADELAIDE STEELE. On Wednesday, December 18, 1935, at Emergency Hospital, ADELAIDE STEELE BAYLOR, beloved sister of Mrs. Nannie Baylor, with whom she lived at 1825 New Hampshire ave. nw. Funeral services at the chapel of Joseph Gawler's Sons, 1736 Pennsylvania ave. nw., on Friday, December 20, at 10:30 a. m.

BUCKLEY, GEORGE. On Thursday, December 19, 1935, at his residence, 154 East 62nd st., New York City, GEORGE BUCKLEY, in the 56th year of his age. Funeral services 11 a. m., Friday, December 20, at St. Vincent's Parish Church, Lenox ave. and 115th st., New York City. Interment at Washington, Iowa, Monday, December 23.

CHASE, JESSIE I. Suddenly, on Wednesday, December 18, 1935, at her residence, 3920 14th st. nw, JESSIE I. CHASE, beloved wife of John C. Chase, mother of John C. Chase jr. and sister of Miss Lois Irwin and Mrs. Norman D. Metcalf of New York. Remains resting at the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw. Funeral from the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home on Friday, December 20, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

CLUM, CORNELIUS W. On Wednesday, December 18, 1935, at 6 p. m. at Georgetown University Hospital, CORNELIUS W. CLUM, the beloved husband of Mary G. Clum, of Kensington, Md. Remains resting at the Conway funeral home of Wm. Reuben Pumphrey, Rockville, Md. Funeral services at his late residence Saturday, December 21, at 11 a. m. Interment Rockville Union Cemetery.

CUNNINGHAM, MARY BENTLEY. On Thursday, December 19, 1935, at her residence, Lanham, Md., MARY BENTLEY CUNNINGHAM, the widow of Dr. J. Carey Cunningham and beloved mother of Mrs. Joseph W. Corridon, of Lanham, Md.; Mrs. Hugh B. Meloy, of Chevy Chase, D. C., and sister of Edwin B. Bentley, of Lanham, Md., and Lottie L. Bentley, of Lanham, Md. Funeral services at the above residence on Monday, December 23, at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Loudon Park Cemetery, Baltimore, Md. Services by the W. W. Chambers Co. Southeast funeral home. (Baltimore, Md., papers please copy.)

EDDINGFIELD, WILLIAM THOMPSON. On Thursday, December 19, 1935, at his residence, 1440 Harvard st. nw., WILLIAM THOMPSON EDDINGFIELD, beloved father of Ina D. and Frank T. Eddingfield. Friends may call at the chapel of Jos. Gawler Sons, 1736 Pa. ave. nw., where the body will lie in state after 1:45 p. m., Saturday, December 21, at the National City Christian Church, 14th st. at Thomas Circle, where services will be held at 2:30 p. m. Interment private.

ETZLER, CHARLES V. On Thursday, December 19, 1935, at Providence Hospital, CHARLES V. ETZLER, beloved husband of Anna M. Etzler (nee Hagan). Funeral from the residence of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Rex P. Mulligan, 1331 Maple View pl. se., on Saturday, December 21, at 2 p. m. Services at St. Mark's Church, 3d and A sts. se., at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

FRASIER, SUSAN SMITH. On Thursday, December 19, 1935, at her residence, 2806 27th st. nw., SUSAN SMITH FRASIER, wife of the late John Thomas Frasier, and beloved by one son, John Thomas Frasier, and four daughters, Ruth P. Berry, Elizabeth Smith Frasier and Susan Isler Frasier of this city, and Mrs. William Holman, of Greensboro, N. C. Funeral services at the above residence on Sunday, December 22, at 2 p. m. Interment in Hill Cemetery, Upperville, Va., at 3:30 p. m.

FOLLMER, WILLIAM LEWIS. On Thursday, December 19, 1935, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Cowell, Four-Corners, Md. WILLIAM LEWIS FOLLMER, in his 86th year, the beloved husband of the late Mary A. Follmer, father of the Colonial Funeral home of Wm. Reuben Pumphrey, Rockville, Md. Funeral services and interment at Milton, Pa.

GARNER, JOHN W. On Thursday, December 19, 1935, at George Washington Hospital, Washington, D. C., JOHN W. GARNER, of Falls Church, Va. Funeral services will be held at his late residence at 2 p. m. Saturday, December 21.

HERMAN, MAX. On Thursday, December 19, 1935, at his residence, 1228 Owens pl. ne., MAX HERMAN, the beloved husband of Belle Herman. Funeral services at the above residence on Saturday, December 21, at 2 p. m. Notice of interment later. Relatives and friends invited.

JONES, ELISHA D. On Thursday, December 19, 1935, at Maryland University Hospital, Baltimore, Md., ELISHA D. JONES, beloved husband of Chloe H. Jones, father of A. Golden Jones, Hughesville, Md.; A. Leroy Jones, of Clinton, Iowa; S. Clifford Jones, Hughesville, Md., and Mrs. Agnes J. Wright, Columbus, N. C. Funeral services will be held at the Friends' Meeting House, Hughesville, Md., Sunday, December 22, at 11 a. m. Interment Friends' Cemetery, Hughesville, Md.

KAVANAGH, MARY ELIZABETH. On Wednesday, December 18, 1935, at her residence, 3829 26th st. ne., MARY ELIZABETH KAVANAGH, beloved wife of James J. Kavanagh and mother of Leo D. and Edmund D. Kavanagh. Funeral from the above residence on Saturday, December 21, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Francis de Sales Church, where requiem mass will be said at 9 a. m. for the repose of her soul. Relatives and friends invited. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery.

LEITCH, HARRY MARTIN. On Thursday, December 19, 1935, in Baltimore, Md., HARRY MARTIN LEITCH, aged seventy-five years, husband of Carrie B. Leitch. Funeral services at his late residence, Beaumont ave., near Edmondson ave., Catonsville, Baltimore Md., on Saturday, December 21, at 2 p. m.

MAY, SAMUEL B. On Wednesday, December 18, 1935, at Sibley Hospital, SAMUEL B. MAY, beloved husband of Rhoda F. May, and father of Fred and Raymond May; Mrs. Pearl West, of Idaho; Mrs. Stella Green, of Baltimore, Md.; Mrs. Ruby Tyler, Mrs. Estle Job, Mrs. Grace Ketchum, of Capitol Heights, Md. Funeral from the W. W. Chambers Co. Southeast funeral home, 317 11th st. se., on Friday, December 20, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

MUMFORD, FREDERICK STOCKWELL. On Wednesday, December 18, 1935, at Children's Hospital, FREDERICK STOCKWELL MUMFORD, aged 9 months, infant son of Dwight Curtis and Martha Stockwell Mumford and grandson of the late Rev. Frederick Emerson Stockwell. Remains resting at the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw. Interment Beverly, N. J. (Philadelphia, Pa., papers please copy.)

EDDINGFIELD, WILLIAM THOMPSON. On Thursday, December 19, 1935, at his residence, 1440 Harvard st. nw., WILLIAM THOMPSON EDDINGFIELD, beloved father of Ina D. and Frank T. Eddingfield. Friends may call at the chapel of Jos. Gawler Sons, 1736 Pa. ave. nw., where the body will lie in state after 1:45 p. m., Saturday, December 21, at the National City Christian Church, 14th st. at Thomas Circle, where services will be held at 2:30 p. m. Interment private.

NORRIS, CALVIN C. J. On Thursday, December 19, 1935, at his residence, 4019 Mariboro pl. nw., CALVIN C. J. NORRIS, beloved husband of the late Margaret Norris, grandfather of James Calvin Norris, Margaret Willard Rodgers, Frances Willard Norris and Sadie Roberta Norris. Remains resting at the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home. Funeral services and interment private. Kindly omit flowers.

PARKER, MILLICENT S. On Thursday, December 19, 1935, at her residence, 227 E st. nw., MILLICENT (MILLY) S. PARKER, beloved daughter of the late William Parker and friend of Mrs. Katherine Quantrille. Funeral from the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw. on Friday, December 20 at 8 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment Highland Mills Cemetery, Monroe, N. Y.

REYNOLDS, JOHN HOWARD. On Thursday, December 19, 1935, JOHN HOWARD REYNOLDS, husband of Reba Reynolds. Funeral from the W. W. Chambers Co. southeast funeral home, 317 11th st. se., on Saturday, December 21, at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

SCHLADT, CATHERINE C. On Wednesday, December 18, 1935, at her residence, 3501 Potomac ave. nw., CATHERINE C. SCHLADT, beloved wife of Anthony Schladt. She is also survived by three sons and three daughters. Funeral from the above residence on Saturday, December 21, at 9:30 a. m.; thence to Church of Our Lady of Victory, where mass will be offered at 10 a. m. for the repose of her soul. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery. Services by the W. W. Chambers Co.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE ELEVEN-STORY AND BASEMENT BRICK, STONE AND CONCRETE FIREPROOF BUILDING USED FOR STORE AND OFFICE PURPOSES, LOCATED AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF VERMONT AVENUE AND L STREET NORTHWEST, KNOWN AS THE "VERMONT BUILDING."

With leave of court obtained on November 25, 1935, in the case of the National Realty and Securities Company, Inc., debtor, Bankruptcy No. 3297 in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, and because of default in the terms and conditions of, and by virtue of a certain deed of trust executed by Isadore Freund and Amelia Freund, his wife, dated March 25, 1924, recorded among the land records of the District of Columbia, April 4, 1924, in Liber 5183 at folio 342, et seq., and at the request of over twenty-five per centum of the holders of the bonds secured thereby the undersigned substituted trustee, by appointment of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, dated August 12, 1931, in Equity Cause No. 53026, will offer for sale at public auction in front of the premises on FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1935, AT FOUR O'CLOCK P. M., the following described land and premises, situate in the District of Columbia, and which is described as follows:

All of Lots "A," "B" and part of lot "C" in John Daly's subdivision of lots in square Two hundred and fifteen (215), as per plat recorded in Liber N. K., folio 248, of the records of the office of the Surveyor of the District of Columbia, together being contained within the following metes and bounds, viz: Beginning for the same at the southwest corner of said lot "A" and said square, and running thence northeasterly along the line of Vermont avenue One hundred and thirty-one (131) feet six (6) inches to a Ten (10) foot wide alley; thence southeasterly along said alley Fourteen (14) feet eight (8) inches; thence south Twenty-eight (28) feet three and one-half (3½) inches; thence west four (4) feet; thence south Eighty-five (85) feet to L street, and thence west along said street, Sixty-two (62) feet four (4) inches to the place of beginning; together with the buildings, improvements and permanent fixtures thereon, improved by the Vermont Building located at the northeast corner of Vermont avenue and L street northwest, and the furniture, fittings and other personal property of every kind which said trustee is authorized by said deed of trust to sell and convey.

TERMS OF SALE: One-third of the purchase price to be paid in cash on or before the twentieth day of January, 1936, balance in two equal installments payable on or before one and two years from date of sale, respectively, with interest thereon at the rate of five and one-half per centum per annum from day of sale, said interest payable semiannually, and to be secured by first deed of trust on the property sold, or all cash at the option of the purchaser. The said trustee will receive no bid from anyone offering to bid who shall not at or before the hour of sale, or any adjournment thereof, deposit with said trustee, as a pledge that such bidder will make good his bid in case of its acceptance, a deposit of $10,000 either in cash or certified check on a bank or trust company acceptable to the undersigned trustee, made or indorsed payable to the trustee, or part thereof bonds of the par value of $20,000 in form transferable by delivery, secured by said deed of trust, said bonds to have all unpaid coupons attached thereto. The deposit from unsuccessful bidders will be returned to him immediately after the sale. The said trustee reserves the right to reject any and all bids and withdraw the property from sale. Adjustments with respect to taxes, assessments, insurance, rentals, income from operation of property, interest and all other adjustments shall be made as of the date of sale. The said trustee, however, will continue to manage and operate said property for the benefit of the income therefrom to and including the date of transfer upon existing terms as set forth in said deed of trust, after settlement of said sale said trustee will not be responsible for any bills or expenses incurred in the management or operation of said property. All expenses, including examination, conveyancing, recording, revenue stamps, etc., are to be at the cost of the purchaser. Terms of sale to be complied with on or before ten days from the date hereof, otherwise the trustee reserves the right to forfeit said deposit or to resell the property at the risk and cost of the defaulting purchaser upon the foregoing terms, after seven days' advertisement of said resale in some newspaper published in Washington, District of Columbia, or with or without forfeiting the deposit the trustee may avail itself of any legal or equitable rights against the defaulting purchaser.

AMERICAN SECURITY AND TRUST COMPANY,
By WM. L. BEALE,
Vice President.

Substituted Trustee under said deed of trust of Isadore Freund and Amelia Freund, his wife, in Equity Cause No. 53026.
(Seal.) Attest: A. H. SHILLINGTON,
Assistant Secretary.

McKenney, Flannery & Craighill, Attorneys for Trustee.
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FRIDAY, JANUARY 3, 1936—
ADAM A. WESCHLER & SON, Auctioneers.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF TWO-STORY AND CELLAR BRICK DWELLING, NO. 1357 SPRING ROAD NORTHWEST, CONTAINING SIX ROOMS AND BATH. H. H. ELEC.; MASONRY IN ONE-CAR GARAGE.

By virtue of a deed of trust recorded in Liber No. 6810, folio 447 et seq., one of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of party secured thereby, the undersigned trustees will offer for sale at public auction in front of premises, on FRIDAY, THE THIRD DAY OF JANUARY, 1935, AT THREE FORTY-FIVE O'CLOCK P. M., the following described property in the District of Columbia, to-wit: Lot 37 in George C. Pumphrey's Subdivision of lots in square 2626 in the Mount Pleasant Addition, a tract of land known as "Padsworth," as per plat of said Pumphrey's Subdivision recorded in Liber No. 35, folio 33, of the records in the office of the Surveyor of the District of Columbia. Subject to building restriction line 15 feet from the Spring Road front of said lot. Subject to the right of redemption by the maker of the aforesaid deed of trust, their heirs and assigns, within a period of sixty days from the date of sale, not including Sundays and holidays, as provided in said deed of trust.

TERMS OF SALE: One-third of the purchase-money to be paid in cash, balance in equal installments, represented by promissory notes of purchaser payable in one and two years, with interest at five per cent per annum from day of sale, payable semiannually, secured by first deed of trust upon property sold, or all cash, at the option of purchaser. A deposit of $300.00 required of purchaser at sale. All conveyancing, recording, revenue stamps, etc., at cost of purchaser. Terms to be complied with within ten days from expiration of redemption period, otherwise trustees reserve the right to resell property at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser, after five days' advertisement of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C.

CHARLES A. JONES,
PAUL J. PRIZZELL,
Trustees.

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LEGAL NOTICES

HARRY W. BLAIR, Assistant Attorney General; LESLIE C. GARNETT, United States Attorney; HENRY H. GLASSIE, Special Assistant to the Attorney General; ALEX. R. HELL, Special Assistant to the United States Attorney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, holding a special term as a District Court of the United States. In the matter of the acquisition of all privately owned land in Squares 5375, 5494, 5495, 5496 5497, 5487, 5488 and 5489 in the subdivisions of parts of the tracts of land known as "Bailey's Purchase" and "Fortune Enlarged" made by the Washington Loan and Trust Company, trustee, and American Security and Trust Company, trustee, as shown on plats of subdivision recorded in Liber County 24, folios 8 and 35, and Liber 36, folio 1, of the records of the office of the Surveyor for the District of Columbia, together with all right, title, interest and estate in the soil of all streets, roads, avenues, alleys, alleyways and ways abutting the same, for the public use, and all persons occupying or in possession of the same, be and the are hereby required, cited and admonished to appear in this court on the 14TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1936, at 10 o'clock a. m., to answer said petition for the condemnation of said lands, and to make claim for the compensation to which they deem themselves entitled. PROVIDED, HOWEVER, AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this order of citation be published once a week for three successive weeks in the Washington Times and The Washington Post, respectively, newspapers of general circulation published in the District of Columbia, and also once a week for three consecutive weeks in the Washington Law Reporter, the first of said publications to be not later than the 16th day of December, 1935. AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this order of citation be served before the return day hereof by the United States Marshal for the District of Columbia, or his deputies, upon each of the persons named herein who is, so far as ascertainable by reasonable inquiry, residing or sojourning within the District of Columbia, or can be found by said marshal or his deputies within said District. AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this order of citation be mailed postpaid to each of the persons shown by said petition to be and hereinbefore designated as non-residents of the District of Columbia, such copy to be addressed to the last known place of residence of such person. O. R. LUHRING, Justice. A true copy. Test: (Seal.) FRANK E. CUNNINGHAM, Clerk. By HARRY M. HULL, Assistant Clerk.
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HARRY W. BLAIR, Assistant Attorney General; LESLIE C. GARNETT, United States Attorney; HENRY H. GLASSIE, Special Assistant to the Attorney General; ALEX. R. HELL, Special Assistant to the United States Attorney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, holding a special term as a District Court of the United States. In the matter of the acquisition of all of Assessment and Taxation Lot 817, the rear 29 feet of Assessment and Taxation Lot 805 and the rear 24 feet of Assessment and Taxation Lot 806 in Square 785 in the City of Washington, District of Columbia, No. 2370. Filed December 18, 1935. Frank E. Cunningham, clerk. Order of citation. Upon consideration of the petition of the United States of America filed herein on the 18th day of December, 1935, by Leslie C. Garnett, United States Attorney for the District of Columbia, acting under the instructions of the Attorney General of the United States and at the request of the Alley Dwelling Authority created under and by virtue of the District of Columbia Alley Dwelling Act, approved June 12, 1934, c. 465 (48 Stat. 930), seeking the condemnation of the following described land in the City of Washington, District of Columbia:

Parcel I—Part of Original Lot 12 in Square 785 in the City of Washington, District of Columbia, described as follows: Beginning for the same 18 feet west from the southeast corner of said lot and running thence west 13 feet 6½ inches; thence north 53 feet 3 inches; thence east 13 feet 6½ inches and thence south 53 feet 3 inches to the beginning, known for the purposes of assessment and taxation as Lot 817 in said Square 785 and improved by premises No. 313 Douglas Court, Northeast. Said parcel to be taken free and discharged of the perpetual right of way for alley purposes over the following portion thereof: Beginning for the same 18 feet west from the southeast corner of said Original Lot, and thence north 53 feet 3 inches, thence west 2 feet 6 inches, thence south 53 feet 3 inches and thence east 2 feet 6 inches to the beginning, for the use of the owners of premises No. 313 B Street, Northeast.

Parcel II—The rear or north 24 feet by the full width of the West one-half of Original Lot 3 in Square 785 in the City of Washington, District of Columbia, said East one-half of said original Lot 3 being now known for purposes of assessment and taxation as Lot 805 in said Square 785. Said rear or north portion of said Lot 805, containing 398.4 square feet, is improved by premises No. 318 Douglas Court, Northeast.

Parcel III—The rear or north 24 feet by the full width of the West one-half of Original Lot 3 in Square 785 in the City of Washington, District of Columbia, said West one-half of Original Lot 3 being now known for purposes of assessment and taxation as Lot 806 in Square 785. Said rear or north portion of said Lot 806, containing 566.65 square feet, is improved by premises No. 316 and No. 316½ Douglas Court, Northeast: for the public use, that is to say, the discontinuance of the use as dwelling or building now situated in or adjacent to inhabited alleys in the District of Columbia as defined in said District of Columbia Alley Dwelling Act, in the interest of public health, safety, morals, safety and welfare, the acquisition for the use of the United States of said lands, with the buildings and structures thereon, being necessary for the purpose of the discontinuance of the use of said premises as alley dwellings;

It is this 18th day of December 1935, ORDERED by John J. Wash, 301 Massachusetts Avenue Northeast, Melvin F. Bergmann, Trustee, 511 Seventh Street Northwest; Marguerite E. Chunn, 318 K Street, Northeast; Robert Dieker, 1925 Fifteenth Street, Northwest; District of Columbia, Municipal Building; Haley G. Douglass, 1732 Fifteenth Street, Northwest; Edmund B. Hebb, Trustee, 931 Seventh Street, Northwest; Thomas Ferguson, 316½ Douglas Court, Northeast; Rosetta Hawkins, 1126 Forty-eighth Street, Northeast; Mary Lillian Kager, 313 Douglas Court, Northeast; Clara M. La Salle, 318 A Street, Northeast; Josephine L. La Salle, 318 A Street, Northeast; Metropolis Building Association No. 8, 201 Pennsylvania Avenue, Southeast; William L. Moore, 1702 Fairmont Street, Northwest; Vernon G. Owen, Trustee, 1431 Eye Street, Northwest; Perpetual Building Association, Eleventh and E Streets, Northwest; W. G. Schaffhirt, 1923 Eleventh Street, Northwest; Armond W. Scott, Executor and Trustee under the last will of Isaiah Kager, 1922 Eleventh Street, Northwest; Armond W. Scott, Trustee, 1922 Eleventh Street, Northwest; Lonnie Thompson, 318 Douglas Court, Northeast. All the foregoing of the City of Washington, District of Columbia, and E. Owen Edmonston, Jr., Trustee, 3454 North Washington Boulevard, Clarendon, Virginia; Jennie Faust, Room 1613, Union Trust Building, Cleveland, Ohio; Mary Emily Wiltsie Field, Executrix and Trustee under the last will of Charles H. Wiltsie, Rochester, New York; and the unknown heirs, if any, of the persons hereinbefore named is deceased, the heirs, alienees or devisees of said persons (the foregoing being the persons named in said petition) and ALL PERSONS having or claiming to have any right, title, interest or estate in the lands hereinbefore described or to be entitled to compensation in respect of the taking of the same for public use, and all persons occupying or in possession of the same, be and they are hereby required, cited and admonished to appear in this court on the 15TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1936, at 10 o'clock a. m., to answer said petition for the condemnation of said lands and to make claim for the compensation to which they deem themselves entitled.

PROVIDED, HOWEVER, AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that a copy of this order of citation be published once a week for three consecutive weeks in the WASHINGTON STAR and THE WASHINGTON POST, newspapers of general circulation published in the District of Columbia, and also once a week for three consecutive weeks in the WASHINGTON LAW REPORTER, the first of said publications to be not later than the 23rd day of December, 1935.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this order of citation be served before the return day hereof by the United States Marshal for the District of Columbia, or his deputies, upon each of the persons named herein who is, so far as ascertainable by reasonable inquiry, residing or sojourning within the District of Columbia, or can be found by said Marshal or his deputies within said District.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this order of citation be mailed postpaid to each of the persons shown by said petition to be and hereinbefore designated as nonresidents of the District of Columbia, such copy to be addressed to the last known place of residence of such person. O. R. LUHRING, Justice. A true copy. Test (Seal.) FRANK E. CUNNINGHAM, Clerk. By H. B. DERTZBAUGH, Assistant Clerk.
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JOSEPH C. TURCO and FRANK DE MUNZIO, Attorneys,
Southern Building.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT of Columbia, holding an Equity Court. In re dissolution of Investment Building Barber Shop, Inc. Equity No. 60302. Order of publication. Upon consideration of the petition of Alphonso Peluso, Michael M. Massino and Angelina Peluso, constituting all of the board of trustees, to dissolve the Investment Building Barber Shop, Inc., of Washington, D. C., a corporation organized under the laws of the District of Columbia, said petition stating that the Investment Building Barber Shop, Inc., is desirous of dissolving and that all of the property and assets of the said corporation is unencumbered and that all of the agreements, engagements and contracts entered into by the said corporation have been fulfilled and satisfied; it is this 19th day of December, 1935, ordered, adjudged and decreed, that all persons interested in the said corporation shall appear herein and show cause, if any they have, by the 19TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1936, why a decree should not be entered dissolving the corporation; provided a copy of this order shall be published in the Washington Times and The Washington Post for three successive weeks, the first insertion to be not less than one month before the date fixed for showing cause, as aforesaid. JENNINGS BAILEY, Justice. A true copy. Test: (Seal.) FRANK E. CUNNINGHAM, Clerk. By H. B. DERTZBAUGH, Assistant Clerk.
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clusive, in Square 5375; lots 2, 5, 8, 10, 19, 20, 23, 24, 28, 29, 34, 35, 36, 43, 46, 48, 52, 53, 66, 77, 78 and 84 in Square 5494; lots 1, 4, 6, 26, 27, 28, 36, 37, 65 to 68, both inclusive, and 89 in Square 5495; lots 1, 5, 13, 19, 24, 25, 66 and 67 in Square 5496; lots 4 and 5 in Square 5497; lots 1, 4, 5, 16, 30, 31, 36, 38 to 41, both inclusive, 46 and 47 in Square 5488; lots 1, 2 and 46 in Square 5487; lots 79, 80, 110, 111, 119, 120, 123, 124, 161, 162, 165, 166, 170 to 173, both inclusive, 175, 176, 177 and 178 in Square 5489; as the same appear in the subdivisions of parts of the tracts of land known as "Bailey's Purchase" and "Fortune Enlarged" made by the Washington Loan and Trust Company, trustee, and recorded in Liber County 24, folio 8 and folio 35, respectively, and the subdivision of said tracts made by the American Security and Trust Company and recorded in Liber 36, folio 1, all of the records of the office of the Surveyor for the District of Columbia, including all the right, title, interest and estate of the owner of each of said lots and of the soil of the streets, roads, avenues, alleys, alleyways and ways abutting the same, for the public use, that is to say, for suitable development of the National Capital Park, Parkway and Playground System.

It is this 10th day of December, 1935, ordered that: **American Security and Trust Company, trustee,** 15th and New York Avenue Northwest; **John S. Barker,** Earl Building; **James Henry Brown, Trustee,** 1003 K Street Northwest, Room 704; **Charles Davidson,** 1013 Fifteenth Street Northwest; **John W. Dowling,** 920 Eleventh Street Northwest; **George B. Fraser,** Munsey Building, 1329 E Street Northwest; **District of Columbia,** Municipal Building; **Clement B. Hilliard, Trustee,** 404 A Street Southeast; **Simon H. Hoddinott,** 724 Ninth Street Northwest; **E. Olivia Johnson,** 161 Adams Street Northwest; **S. G. Kline, Jr.,** 3726 Connecticut Avenue Northwest; **Walter I. Lembkey,** 3408 Thirty-fourth Place Northwest; **Albert L. Martin, Trustee,** 1333 Belmont Street Northwest, Apartment 4; **Elizabeth Manogue,** widow of W. E. Manogue, deceased, 519 East Capitol Street Southeast; **Mae Manogue,** 519 East Capitol Street Southeast; **William W. Millan,** substituted trustee, Washington Loan and Trust Building; **Beatriee Morgan,** 1108 Sixteenth Street Northwest; **Clara M. Morgan,** 1108 Sixteenth Street Northwest; **Ulmo S. Randle,** 2515 Pennsylvania Avenue Southeast; **Randle Estates, Inc., a Delaware corporation,** 2515 Pennsylvania Avenue Southeast; **William W. Rupp, Trustee,** 1763 Columbia Road Northwest; **James Strayer, Trustee,** c/o Waggaman and Brawner, Incorporated, 1700 I Street Northwest; **Sarah Frances Tasker,** 306 B Street Northeast; **United States Realty Company of Washington, D. C., Incorporated,** 2515 Pennsylvania Avenue Southeast; **Edward Waldmann,** 1431 Fairmont Street Northwest; **Elizabeth Waldmann,** 1431 Fairmont Street Northwest; **Frederick B. Warder,** substituted trustee under the will of Arthur E. Randle, Edmonds Building; **Washington Loan and Trust Company,** Ninth and F Streets Northwest; **Washington Loan and Trust Company,** trustee under the will of John B. Larner, Ninth and F Streets Northwest; **Blanche Wilson,** 131 E Kentucky Avenue Southeast; **J. Sells Wilson,** executor and trustee under the will of W. H. Manogue, deceased, 131 Kentucky Avenue Southeast; all the foregoing of the City of Washington, District of Columbia, and the following persons whose addresses, notwithstanding diligent inquiry, cannot be learned, **Nora Thurman Barnes, Nell Davis Kain, Jane Goodman, Alice Hancock, Mally W. Jones, George Kyle, Sr., Nell M. Lavender, Florence M. Leisinger, Annie E. McAllister, J. Myers Mitchell, Daniel Mitchell, Annie E. Paige, Lois McAllister Pollock, Marraret W. L. Smith, Byron Thurman, Genevieve Thurman, Lois Thurman, Winnie Thurman, Violet Violah,** and the unknown heirs, Trustee, Wilson, North Carolina; **Mary Katherine Ashby,** 1604 Franklin Avenue, Charles Town, West Virginia; **Enols Carolina Bain,** 1604 Market Street, Greensboro, North Carolina; **Annie L. Barkley,** 421 Law Building, Charlotte, North Carolina; **Brock Barkley,** 421 Law Building, Charlotte, North Carolina; **Martha Lawrence Barkley,** 421 Law Building, Charlotte, North Carolina; **Paul H. Barkley,** 421 Law Building, Charlotte, North Carolina; **W. H. Barkley,** 421 Law Building, Charlotte, North Carolina; **Charles J. Barrett,** Mt. Savage, Maryland; **Marie A. Barrett,** Mt. Savage, Maryland; **A. J. H. Benham,** 5213 Osage Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; **Branch Bank and Trust Company,** Wilson, North Carolina; **Nellie McCombs Brown,** 3809 Chatham Road, Baltimore, Maryland; **H. E. Browning,** Lumberton, North Carolina; **Mrs. L. M. Browning,** Jamesville, North Carolina; **John T. Buff,** 16 Knight Street, Greenville, South Carolina; **Peter Calhoun,** 106 Emmett Street, Spartanburg, South Carolina; **Charles L. Carroll,** Eatonton, Georgia; **Olivia Cheek,** Columbus, Georgia; **J. Howell Cummings,** c/o J. H. Stetson Company, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; **Etta Curtis,** Boiling Springs, North Carolina; **Thomas S. Davenport,** Portsmouth, Virginia, R. F. D. No. 3; **William D. Dillon,** Baltimore, Maryland; **Jennie Faust,** Room 1613, Union Trust Building, Cleveland, Ohio; **Eva H. Fraser,** 115 Elm Avenue, Takoma Park, Maryland; **Nicholas Fletcher,** Wilmington, North Carolina; **J. S. Fraser,** 115 Elm Avenue, Takoma Park, Maryland; **Ellen E. Garretison,** Baltimore, Maryland; **F. W. Garretison,** Mt. Savage, Maryland; **James Garretison,** Mt. Savage, Maryland; **James E. Hagerty,** Apartment 403, Greenway Apartments, Charles and Thirty-fourth Streets, Baltimore, Maryland; **Hartsville Fertilizer Company,** a South Carolina corporation, Wilmington, North Carolina; **Francis P. Herbert,** Mt. Savage, Maryland; **H. Lacy Hunt,** Wilmington, North Carolina; **Alpha Moore Jordan,** Greenville, South Carolina; **George Edward Jordan,** Greenville, South Carolina; **Mary A. Kean,** 11 South Smallwood Street, Baltimore, Maryland; **George W. Kesner,** 311 Walton Building, Atlanta, Georgia; **W. A. Lawhor, Balboa Heights,** Canal Zone; **William C. Lea,** c/o Wilmington Trust Co., Wilmington, North Carolina; **Bertha McAlwee,** 821 Twenty-seventh Street, Newport News, Virginia; **Vesta McCormick,** 3800 Chatham Road, Baltimore, Maryland; **John F. McNair,** Wilmington, North Carolina; **Charles E. McNamee,** Cumberland, Maryland; **Frank McNamee, Jr.,** Mt. Savage, Maryland; **John Lawrence Malloy,** Mt. Savage, Maryland; **Murchison National Bank,** a North Carolina corporation, Wilmington, North Carolina; **Hugh D. Murray,** Mt. Savage, Maryland; **Michael Murray,** Mt. Savage, Maryland; **Archibald L. Neeves,** 15 Byron Avenue, Brockton, Massachusetts; **Louise Nielsen,** also known of record as Louise Nielsen, 109½ Dock Street, Wilmington, North Carolina; **James O'Neil,** Mt. Savage, Maryland; **Dollie May Orndorff,** Star Tannery, Virginia; **F. W. Pearsell,** Wilmington, North Carolina; **James F. Powers,** Elkton, Maryland; **Jacob Rhein,** 422 North Thirty-second Street, West Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; **Annie Rudisill,** 1311 South Boulevard, Charlotte, North Carolina; **Jacob A. Rudisill,** 1311 South Boulevard, Charlotte, North Carolina; **Charles C. Saffell,** Baltimore, Maryland; **Edward C. Schmidt,** Infant, 3317 Princeton Avenue, Pittsford, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; **Walter O. Slusser,** Staunton, Virginia; **Joseph D. Spiers,** Smithfield, North Carolina; **John R. Stinson,** 2d, Baltimore, Maryland; **John Stephen, Trustee,** Riverdale, Maryland; **Elizabeth M. Taylor,** 112 Bridge Street, Elkton, Maryland; **The Farmers and Merchants Bank,** a South Carolina corporation, Wilmington, North Carolina; **Webb Thomson,** Spartanburg, South Carolina; **David B. Frazier, Valley Development Company,** Harlingen, Texas; **Albert Watkins, Jr.,** Cotton Exchange, Atlanta, Georgia; **Julia S. Wilson,** Montreat, North Carolina; and in the event that any of the persons hereinbefore named is deceased, the heirs, alienees or devisees of said persons; and **Charles J. Barrett,** unknown heirs, alienees or devisees of; **W. Arthur Mitchell,** unknown heirs, alienees or devisees of; **Warren L. Browning,** unknown heirs, alienees or devisees of; **Fred Gardner,** unknown heirs, alienees or devisees of; **W. Simon Hoddinott,** unknown heirs, alienees or devisees of; **William A. Martin,** unknown heirs, alienees or devisees of; **Charles Robinson Moore,** unknown heirs, alienees or devisees of; **J. W. Porter,** unknown heirs, alienees or devisees of; **John W. Staum,** unknown heirs, alienees or devisees of; **Franklin L. Wilson,** unknown heirs alienees or devisees of; (the foregoing being the persons named in said petition), and ALL PERSONS having or claiming to have any right, title, interest or estate in the lands hereinbefore described, or to be entit

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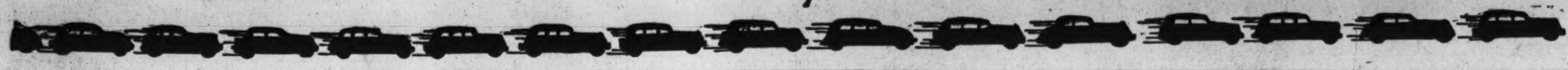

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HOUSES—Rent or Sale 57

GALESVILLE, Md.—3-acre waterfront, newly decorated house, 4 bedrooms, bath, large living room and kitchen; tennis ct., swimming pool, wharf, garage with room and bath. NAtional 7653, owner.

SUBURBAN for RENT 58

NEW 2-STORY English Colonial; 8 rms., 2 baths, gar., a. m. i.; fireplace, shrubbery; near Army-Navy Club golf course; 15 min. city. Arlington Hills, 2703 13th st., Arlington, Va. Alex. 1752-W.

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WANTED—TO RENT 62

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15TH ST. (near R. I. ave. nw.)—Corner, suitable for any business; 1 store, 2 apts. Price, $13,500. For inspection call Mr. Drain. ME. 4941.

HOUSES FOR SALE 66

OUR LATEST ACHIEVEMENT
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$13,950

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All brick, center hall home, 3 bedrooms, 2 tiled baths, screened sleeping porch. Open fireplace in living room. First floor library or den paneled with knotty pine, and lavatory, attic insulated. Weather-stripped. Open, lighted and heated, daily till 9 p. m.

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Detached home; 4 bedrooms and bath; garage; available now at $9,500.
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Excellent Northwest section; 5 rooms, kitchen, bath; hot-water heat; built-in garage; corner lot; brand new condition. For inspection Call M. L. Smith, ADams 7108.

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2-story brick dwelling, over 100 years old; large lot. Call Stanton T. Kolb.
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$2,950
$200 Cash—$30 Per Month.
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LOTS for SALE 69

NORTH OF BETHESDA—Near bus and school; beautiful lots, 60x120 feet at $720. Electricity, gas, water and sewer available. Louis P. Shoemaker, 1719 K st. nw. NAtional 1166.

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SUBURBAN for SALE 70

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Shepherd 2400

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BOOKLET describing farm bargains in Montgomery Co., on request. Counselman & O'Brien, 6825 Wisc. ave. WIsc. 4240.

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DON'T GUESS OR WISH where or how to own your home in nearby Va. See a specialist. We have or will get it for you and finance. $4,950 up on easy terms. Mr. vacant. Mr. Moran, N. E. RYON CO. 2203 Wilson blvd.

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LOTS WANTED 76A

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BIRDS and POULTRY 78

MOVING SALE—Birds of all kinds; cages and food; at reduced prices. 142 F st. se. AT. 4317-W.

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AIRDALES—8 weeks old; sired by champions. 214 Prince st, Alexandria 313-W.

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Wire, Irish, smooth; Fox, Danes, Schnauzers, Police, English Bullterriers, Schipperkes, DOG HOTEL, 6800 Western Ave., Chevy Chase, D. C. CLeveland 9680.

TROPICAL FISH 80

TROPICAL fish, acquariums and plants. Large variety. Hansen's, 1730 D st. se.

MISCELLANEOUS for SALE 83

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BABY CARRIAGE—Reed, reversible, new cond.; cost $35; sacrifice, $10. 327 2d st. ne., apt. 6.

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UKULELES . . . $1.85
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MISCELLANEOUS for SALE 83 (Continued.)

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CORRUGATED and Flat Galvanized Sheets, all lengths. WM. A. CONWAY, 215-17-19 N. Central ave., Baltimore, Md. Write or phone Wolfe 2928-2929 for prices.

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FILING CABINETS—Used; steel; 4 drawers; U. S. Govt. surplus; refin.; snap bargains. Also bookcases. Washington Salvage Co., 800 E st. nw.

FLOOR SAMPLE RADIOS—Like new; 1936 models. Save money. Terms. Jordan's, 13th and G sts. nw.

FOLDING CHAIRS—1,000 for rent or sale. Reasonable. Notes Auction Rooms, 633 Indiana ave. Phone DIstrict 8112.

FRIGIDAIRE—5 cu. ft. Excellent condition. Real bargain at $40. Only one. Act quick. 2030 14th st. nw.

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PIANO—Small grand, for balance due in account, $175. Pay $1 weekly. Jordan's, 13th and G sts. nw.

PIANO—Harrison upright; exc. cond.; privately owned; 4 years old. EM. 7339.

PIANOS—We have several real values in repossessed grands, any of which are real bargains at the prices we are asking for them. Outstanding is a beautiful little mahogany baby grand, used only a few months and is absolutely new condition that can be purchased for the exact amount of the unpaid balance, $286 (monthly payments of $10). This piano is one of the latest and best selling models and a wonderful value at this price. Others, including several period models, $170, $210, $275, and up. Kitt's, 1330 G st. (near 14th).

PIANOS—For rent, $3.50-$4 mo. up; finest rental stock in Washington. NA. 3659. W. W. Kimball Co., 721 11th st. nw.

PIANOS—FOR RENT—$3 per month and up. Largest selection in Washington to choose from. Rent paid applies to purchase price if you decide to buy later. NA. 4730. Kitt's, 1330 G st. (near 14th).

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Pocahontas Stove	$10.00	$19.00
Pocahontas Egg	$10.50	$20.00
Pocahontas Briquettes	$11.00	$21.00
Va. Hard, Stove or Egg	$10.50	$20.00
Pa. Hard, Buckwheat	$8.50	$16.00
Pa. Hard, Stove or Nut	$13.00	$25.00
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OLD GOLD, SILVER,
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SELINGER'S, 818 F St. N.W.

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Whether Car Is Paid For or Not.
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AUTO ACCESSORIES 94

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TRUCKS, TRUCKS, TRUCKS—Overstocked sale of trucks. Chevrolet open panel, $69; Ford 1929 panel, $59; Ford 1931 sedan-delivery, special, $179. Ford 1934 sedan-delivery, $415. All these trucks have been reconditioned; many have new tires and new batteries; very easy down payment and monthly payments. Capitol Motors Big Used-Car Lot, 1522 Pa. Ave. S.E. LIn. 0303.

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AUTOMOBILES for SALE 98

CADILLAC $90 DOWN
'31 Conv. Coupe; 6 wire wheels, Fleetwood body, two-tone green finish; car in excellent condition, mechanically and in appearance. Easy terms and trade. This car at 6th and Fla. ave. ne.
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1935 Coach, beautiful Brewster green; driven only a few hundred miles by a company official; practically a brand-new car that has been nicely and properly broken in, ready to roll. See this car before you buy. If we advertised our price on this one they would storm the doors, so we urge you to act quickly. If you want to save money, see me, J. J. Blank.
LUSTINE-NICHOLSON
Hyattsville, Md. GReenwood 2200.

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1935 Trunk Sedan, attractive dark blue finish; special accessory group, fully equipped. This is a beautiful car so like new you won't believe it has ever been off the showroom floor; that's a broad statement, but it's true. See, drive and be convinced. If you really want to save money, see me, J. J. Blank.
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1934 Master Coach, 2-door; splendid condition throughout, ready for winter; easy terms with no payments while you are sick or disabled; $10.000 accident insurance policy with every car. Beautiful 32-pc. set of dishes free. Open eves.
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1933 Sedan, 4-door; 6 wire wheels, rich black finish; strictly first-class condition throughout; easy terms with no payments while you are sick or disabled; $10.000 accident insurance policy with every car. Beautiful 32-pc. set of dishes free. Open evenings.
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1935 Sedan (4-door), attractive green finish, radio equipped; practically a new car, ready for winter driving; easy terms with no payments while you are sick or disabled, $10.000 accident insurance policy with every car. Beautiful 32-pc. dinner service absolutely free; open evenings.
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$100 to $200

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1932 Convertible Cabriolet; a most attractive NEW BLUE-GRAY opalescent finish; perfect leather upholstery in driver's seat and rumble seat. New Khaki top; fine motor and tires. Convenient terms.
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CHEVROLET $259
1932 De Luxe Coupe; the most popular 6-wheel model; beautiful black with green wire wheels; spare tires mounted in well fenders and carry chrome covers. Spotless, high-grade mohair upholstery and an excellent motor. Tires almost like new. Bears the RED O. K. TAG, too.
"Better Conditioned Cars Always."
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CHEVROLET—'32 De Luxe Coach. This job has had except. care by a lady owner; now in perfect condition throughout. $245. National Auto Sales, Inc., 1417 Wisconsin ave. nw.

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'32 4-cyl. Coach. Here's a very economical 4-cyl model, equipped with practically new heavy-duty tires; just traded in on a new Chevrolet. It's clean and uph. in except. fine cond. For sale "with an O. K. that counts." To the first lucky buyer at the low price of $235.
Addison Chevrolet, Inc.
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BILLHIMER & PALMER
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1932 five-passenger sedan. You cannot buy a car elsewhere for $245, and in the splendid condition of this one, it makes a fine appearance, black paint, clean upholstery and good tires, C. C. C. guarantee, open evenings.
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1931 five-passenger sedan, black paint, good tires, spotless upholstery and a quiet motor. You will be pleased with this truly fine car, C. C. C. guarantee, open evenings.
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1935 Convertible Coupe; de luxe with rumble seat; beautiful blue finish, radio equipped, new-car condition throughout; ready for winter driving; easy terms with no payments while you are sick or disabled. $10.000 accident insurance policy with every car! Beautiful 32-pc. dinner service absolutely free. Open evenings.
EVANS-PALMER, INC.
New York and Fla. Aves. NE. NAt. 3479.

FORD—1932 De Luxe Conv. Coupe. Excellent cond.; $15 down and small mo. payments. Simmons, 1333 14th st. DE. 5173.

FORD—'34 Trunk Sedan, $389. Perfect in every detail. Honestly priced. Owens, 6323 Ga. ave. nw. GEorgia 0100.

FORD—'34 De Luxe Fordor; $45 down, $23.50 a month. Warrington Motor Car Co., 17th and U sts. nw. FO. 0701.

PLYMOUTH Demonstrator, Sedan, practically new-car condition; liberal discount.
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FORDS! FORDS! FORDS! FORDS!
STEUART MOTORS.
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Horner's the Place to Buy It.
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FLEMING MOTOR CORP.
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"Cap" Stubbs — Nobody to Help — By Edwina

GRAN'MA — WILL YOU GO WITH TIPPIE'N ME TO DO TH' REST OF OUR CHRIS'MAS SHOPPIN' —
MY LAND! WITH THAT DOG!
SURE — I WANT YOU TO HOLD HIM OUTSIDE WHILE I GO IN TH' STORES —
HE CAN'T GO INSIDE 'COUNTTA TH' CROWDS —
WELL, ANY OLD DAY I STAND OUTSIDE WITH THAT DOG —
BUT HE WANTS TO GO —
The George Matthew Adams Service, Inc.
I GUESS YOU'LL HAFTA STAY HOME, TIPPIE —
I NEVER HEARD OF NOTHING SO RIDICKLOUS!
12-20
EDWINA

Today's Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1 In addition to
5 Alack
9 Any monkey
12 Fish's breathing organs
13 Placed end to end
15 Pertaining to oil
17 Mentally sound
18 New England State: abbr.
19 Spirit which actuates a people's manners and customs
21 Wrench
23 Irregular voter
26 Serpent
27 Unity
28 Makes an infusion
30 Provided
32 Scold severely
34 Great desert
36 Norse god
37 Allow
39 Clear profit
40 Opening
42 Laterally
44 Pertaining to periodic motion of the sea
46 Cotton fabric
47 Land of a comic opera wizard
48 Rendered fat of swine
50 Snares
53 With headlong and unconsidered rush
56 Greenland settlement
57 English letter
58 On the ocean
59 Refuse

DOWN

1 Self
2 Gypsy pocketbook
3 Slumberer
4 The pick
5 Metric land measure
6 One to whom property is leased
7 Topaz humming bird
8 Dispatched
9 Symbol for arsenic
10 Sweats
11 Prepare for publication
14 Launder again
16 Pure
20 Aquatic animals
22 Exists
23 Garment
24 Endues with activity or vitality
25 Live
29 Evident or manifest
31 Destiny
33 Dismay
35 Enliven
38 Center
41 Advertisement
43 Telegraphed: colloq.
44 Small European shark
45 Tibetan monk
49 Thing: law
51 Broad open vessel
52 Timid
54 Place of the seal: abbr.
55 Mid-Victorian exclamation

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

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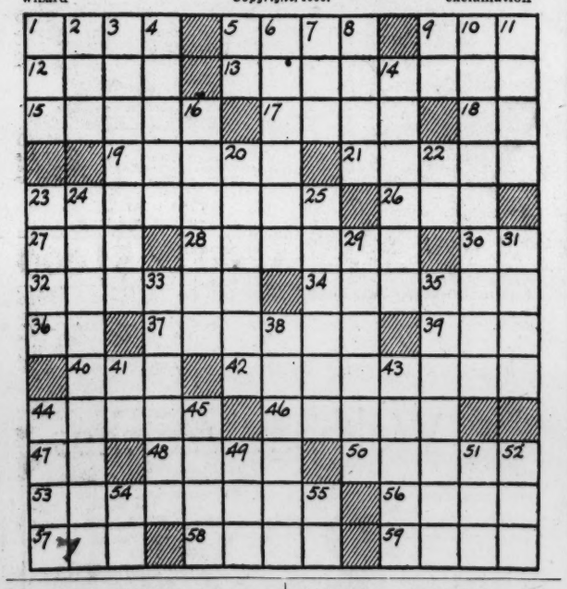

Daughters Contest Bequests of $25

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Cumberland, Md., Dec. 19.—A contest of the will of Elliott R. Boston, formerly of Lonaconing and this city, was filed yesterday in the orphans court by his daughters, Mrs. Marion T. Murrill, Washington, and Mrs. Marguerite Deetz, this city.

The daughters, bequeathed $25 each from the $11,000 estate, contend their father was not capable of executing a valid will, and that it was obtained through undue influence and fraud, and that he has been an inmate of an asylum.

Boston's will was filed in book form, written in a small journal or account book. It contains a number of bequests ranging from $200 to $400 to cousins, sisters, nieces and other relatives; for the maintenance of cemetery lots, erection of tombstones, and to churches. Boston died ec. 5.

"I owe no man a dollar," was written in the book, which contained instructions that $900 was to be spent for his funeral expenses, with $150 for a grave marker.

Philippines to Retire Manila Rail Bonds

Manilla, P. I., Dec. 19 (AP).—The National Assembly approved today appropriation of $6,750,000 to redeem bonds of the government-owned Manila railroads.

The Londoners who hold the 4 per cent debentures recently offered a 20 per cent discount for redemption by January 31, 1936, instead of at maturity in 1939. Elpidio Quirino, commonwealth secretary of finance, estimated this would represent a total saving to the government of $8,500,000.

Dayton Power Plans $3,000,000 Expansion

Dayton, Ohio, Dec. 19 (AP).—The Dayton Power & Light Co., a subsidiary of the Columbia Gas & Electric Co., announced today a $3,000,000 expansion program for the Miller's Ford plant near here.

The work will include installation of a new turbogenerator giving the plant a 110,000-kilowatt capacity.

ARE YOU SUPERSTITIOUS?
BY CLYDE H. DUBOSE

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DICK TRACY — A Call From a Country Grocery

I SAID I THINK I DROVE THAT GANGSTER, FAMON, IN MY CAR... HE WAS A GUNMAN THAT LOOKED LIKE FAMON — AND HE PUT A GUN ON ME.
YOU SAY YOU TRACKED HIM ON FOOT — TO AN OLD FARM? WHERE ARE YOU NOW, SAVOY?
MEANWHILE..
WHAT HAPPENED, "CUT"?
HOW COME THE DAME'S CLOTHES?
THEY'RE "MAN'S" CLOTHES.. THE G-MEN GOT "MAN" AND "MUSCLE"! I TOOK IT ON THE LAM, AND STUCK UP A MOTORIST TO GET HERE
CHESTER GOULD
12-20

THE GUMPS — Broaching the Subject

BIM, I'M AFRAID I'M GOING TO HAVE A BREAKDOWN — I JUST CAUGHT ANDY HOBNOBBING WITH THE BUTLER AGAIN
NOW MAMA — CALM YOURSELF — ANDY'S JUST A DIAMOND IN THE ROUGH
-AND SPEAKING OF DIAMONDS — I SAW A BEAUTIFUL BROOCH DOWNTOWN TODAY!
IT SURELY WILL LOOK WONDERFUL ON YOU, MAMA DEAR
I BRUISE EASY BUT I HEAL QUICK
LITTLE ALFY
GUS EDSON
12-20

JOE PALOOKA — Here Comes the Bride — By Ham Fisher

YOU FIND OUT.
OKAY
SAY SQUIRE... WAS YOU EXPECTIN' A COUPLE ELOPIN' BY ANY CHANCE?
YEP... A FELLA CALLED ME AND SAID HE AN' HIS GIRL AN' A BEST MAN WOULD BE OUT 'BOUT NOON TIME.
HEY FOLKS... THIS IS RIGHT. C'MON IN.
THEY'RE KINDA GROGGY SQUIRE. SMASHED UP IN A MOTORCYCLE.
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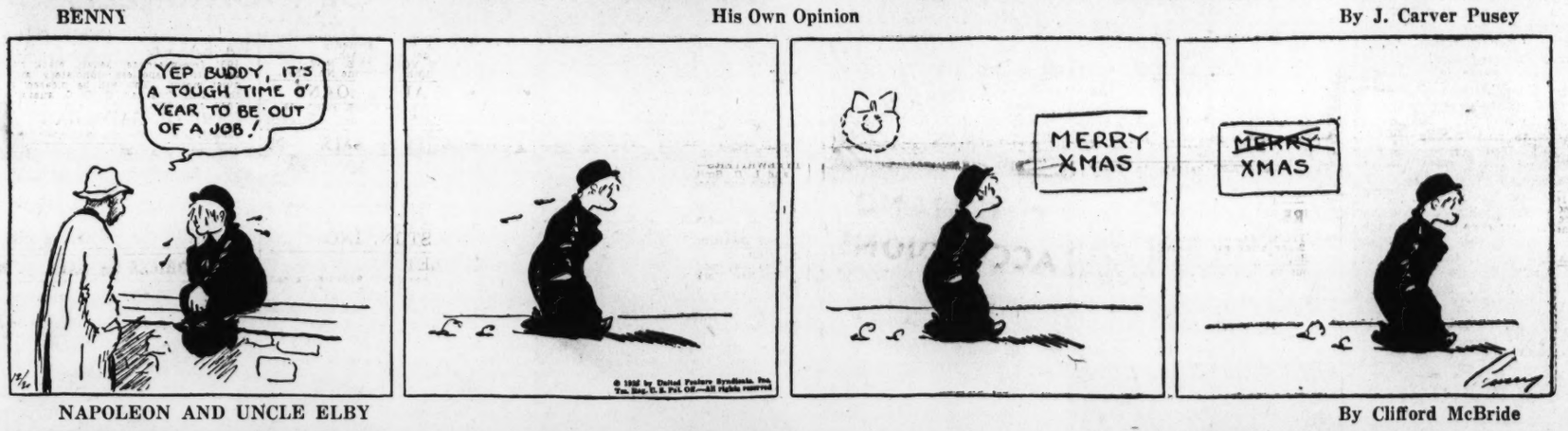
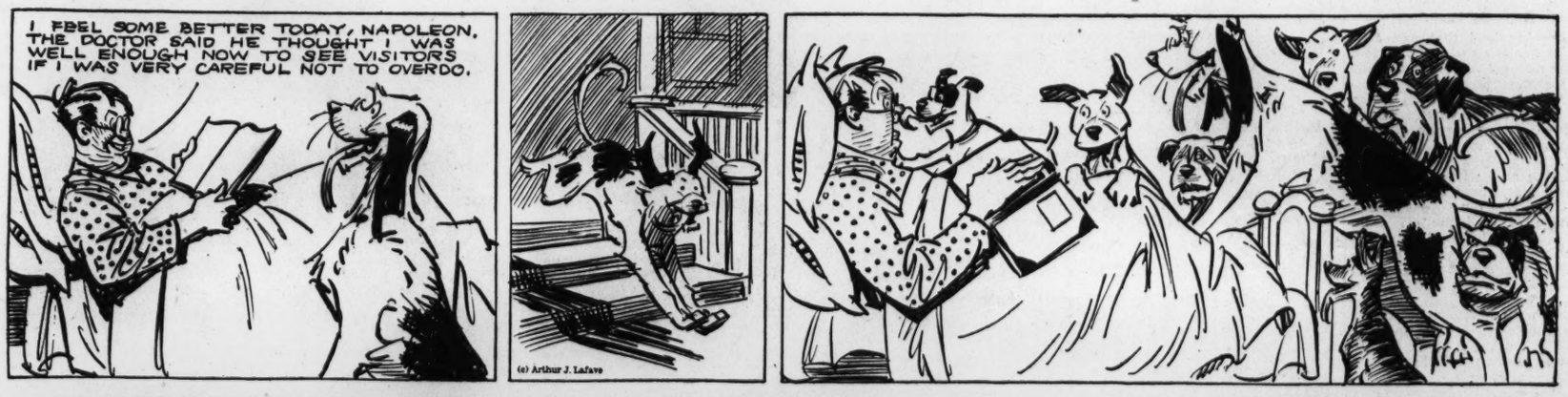
BENNY — His Own Opinion — By J. Carver Pusey



NAPOLEON AND UNCLE ELBY — By Clifford McBride


I FEEL SOME BETTER TODAY, NAPOLEON. THE DOCTOR SAID HE THOUGHT I WAS WELL ENOUGH NOW TO SEE VISITORS IF I WAS VERY CAREFUL NOT TO OVERDO.
(c) Arthur J. Lafave

DIXIE DUGAN — Dim Work — By J. P. McEvoy and J. H. Striebel

WITH DIXIE STILL MISSING, SAMMY SETS OUT TO DO A BIT OF PRIVATE DE-TEC-TING
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HERE YOU WHAT'RE YOUSE UP TO?
UH?
McNaught Syndicate, Inc., N. Y.
A SNEAK THIEF, EH-?
N-NO — REALLY, MISTER — I MEAN — OFFICER — I-
R-R-RING!
-CAUGHT THIS MUG PROWLIN' AROUN' YER HOUSE, SIR?
UH — HULLO, DR. BROWN —
GROTEBEL
THANKS, OFFICER — I'LL TAKE CARE OF THIS "MUG" IF YOU DON'T MIND —!

THE BUNGLE FAMILY — Monty Is Suspicious — By Harry J. Tuthill

By jove! And so Mrs. Bungle, too, knows something about this fellow Cabanas, eh Monty?
Yes, and it absolutely confirms your story, Hart...
Just what is your story, Hartford?
Why Monty, two nights before we left I caught this Cabanas in my hotel room, and in a struggle, pulled a knife out of his hand as he dashed out the door.
A knife! Wow!
Oh come come old man, that can't be.
But my dear Monty, I saw him... by the hall light, as he jerked away from me. And as I came face to face with him on deck a bit ago I knew...
Let's see.... two days before we sailed? That was Sunday. Cabanas was in my servant's quarters all Sunday night, Hartford.
But Monty, I assure you I can't be...
Also, old man, don't you think it's a bit odd that you said nothing about this desperate struggle until now? After all, you know, no chap has to fight for his life every day.
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Reg. U.S. Pat. Off.
McNaught Syndicate, Inc., N. Y.

Broadway

By Ed Sullivan

Dawn Patrol.

New York, Dec. 19.

CAN'T get over Barbara Hutton Reventlow's second gift of $5,000 to this column for New York's poor . . . There was no expectation of it as she was in England, removed from the local scene . . . The bigger they are, however, the nicer they are . . . "It will make me feel less homesick," she told me over the transatlantic phone . . . Funny, but I'd never thought of the immensely rich feeling homesick like the rest of us . . . The reason she wanted to do it again is that last year she got thousands of letters from people all over the country, each letter saying at the end: "May God bless you" . . . These benedictions from complete strangers affected her just as they affect those of us who get a lot of mail from people . . . There is a spiritual thrill to such a message that can't be described on paper . . . A year ago she said that she'd like to make an annual affair of this Christmas party, and evidently that is her intention.

Delayed arrival by plane of Countess Dorothy di Frasso spoiled a joke that Bert Taylor and Olive McClure planned to play on their best man, Lucius Ordway . . . Bert, Olive and Dorothy were to walk into Ordway's Wall Street office, insist that he accompany them on a matter of the utmost business importance, and then drive directly to the church . . . Arriving there, Ordway was to learn that the pressing business matter was his appearance as best man . . . But the plane from the Coast arrived late, and they had to tell Ordway about it instead . . . Mr. and Mrs. Artie Stebbins (Ann Darling) will go to Florida after the holidays . . . Frank Orsatti and Jean Chatburn may be married here (he wired her to fly to New York) . . . His pal, L. B. Mayer, would be the best man . . . Edgar Allan Woolf is back at the studio again, completely recovered . . . Henry Fonda and Shirley Ross are planning an elopement . . . The Broadway columnists are petitioning Santa Claus for headguards (trouble is that our heads are so big).

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George Marshall, Washington, D. C., sage, says that he believes the columnists overdo phases such as this: "As predicted in this space" . . . It is his contention that when readers read such a line, they start burning up . . . But Marshall's strongest criticism is this: "You, Sobol and Scroveney persist in flaunting your scoops. Yet it seems to me that the three of you all worked, at the same time on the Graphic, and the paper collapsed" . . . I never thought of that!

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Alan Corelli, executive secretary of the Theater Authority, organized to see to it that actors rate part of the proceeds of benefit shows at which they appear . . . Tells me that from January 1 to date, 170 benefits have been held in New York City . . . The Theater Authority will derive $25,000 from these benefits, to be divided among the Actors' Fund, the Stage Relief, the N. V. A., the Actors' Federation of America and the Jewish, Catholic and Episcopal Guilds . . . Corelli notes a definitely new trend in these Broadway benefits . . . Of the 170 charity shows held so far, only three have been held in theaters . . . But 167 have been held in hotels . . . Corelli says that it is ironic that the people who give charity insist on elaborate hotel dinners with all the fixings . . . As a result, by the time the dinner has been paid for, there is little left for the charity itself . . . The $100-plate dinners are okay, he says, but those organizations which charge $7.50 per plate, and then have to pay back $6 a plate for food are impractical, in charity sense.

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Never saw so many grand window displays as Christmas has called forth . . . Stores along Fifth, Madison and Broadway are really a riot of gorgeous coloring . . . The shopkeepers tell me that the reason is that silver and blue have finally come into their own . . . Silver Christmas trees, trimmed with blue bulbs are hitting a new note in decoration . . . Florist shops, instead of featuring plants, offer clusters of huge blue glass grapes and bunches of silver leaves . . . Santa Claus, however, is still in the red—jacket.

The week before Christmas is always a bad week for theaters . . . the week between December 25 and New Year's is always the best . . . Gloria Swanson and Herb Marshall have kissed and made up . . . Lionel Barrymore's contract to radio-enact the role of Scrooge on Christmas Day is unusual . . . no commercial will be read on the program, and Barrymore has signed to do it every year until he dies . . . Charlie Weeghman's spot opens tonight . . . you feel sorry for some of the youngsters who work on the stem . . . I know one team, a dance team . . . they get $150 a week . . . out of that they have to pay 35 per cent commission, 25 per cent to the fellow who gives them their dance routines, 10 per cent to an agent . . . the Lawrence Shaws expect Sir Yule Stork . . . the Frank Vincents are talking it over . . . Lorraine Teatom and Jimmy Ritz are Christmas shopping . . . the Jack Haleys will adopt a baby boy from Chicago's "Cradle" . . . when Junior Laemmle gets two tickets for a Coast football game he always has to toss a coin . . . to decide whether he'll take a girl or his armed bodyguard . . . he took Mary Carlisle to the Pitt game . . . Henry King and Renee Torres are making woo in Miami.

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Culbertson On Bridge

A Costly Lead.

An opening lead that cost 1,900 points in the finals of an important tournament must receive more than passing comment. The fact that it was made by an expert, not a dub, lends color to my repeated assertion that, even among master, players, the opening lead is frightfully abused.

As is the case with fully 85 per cent of hands, shrewd analysis of the bidding, plus elementary knowledge of mathematical probabilities, would have directed the proper lead on the hand in question. The leader's guilt could hardly be mitigated, in a match of this importance, by his plaint that he "didn't think the opponents had a remote chance for their contract."

North, dealer.
East and West vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ None
♥ 9 7 3
♦ A 9 2
♣ A J 10 9 7 6 5

WEST
♠ A K Q 10 3 2
♥ A K 8 6 5
♦ 5 3
♣ None

EAST
♠ J 9 7 5 4
♥ 10 4 2
♦ J 8 7
♣ Q 8

SOUTH
♠ 8 6
♥ Q J
♦ K Q 10 6 4
♣ K 4 3 2

The bidding:

North	East	South	West
Pass	Pass	3 diam's	Double
5 diam's	Pass	Pass	6 diam's
6 spades	Double	6 N T	Pass
Pass	Double	Pass	Pass
7 diam's	Double	Pass	Pass
Pass			

Obviously many of the bids were phychic, but West nevertheless should have formed a pretty good picture of the opponents' hands. Of at least one thing he should have been sure—that the club suit, in which he was void, was held almost solidly by North and South. But the real clew to the hand is in North's belated six spade bid and East's double thereof. It required no clairvoyance to read that North had determined to anticipate a slam in either hearts or spades (which West's six diamond cue bid forced) and was laying a defense against at least one suit while reserving the opportunity to sacrifice at seven diamonds. East's double of six spades could be based on no other reason than length in the suit, and this length, coupled to West's own six card suit, should have pointed like an enormous sign post to the ace and king of hearts as the proper opening lead.

But West opened the king of spades, and South, after ruffing it in dummy, ran five diamond tricks and seven clubs to make his grand slam.

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